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SPORTS

AUSTRIAN STEAMER IS REPORTED SUNK WITHOUT WARNING

Berlin News Agency Says
Allied Submarine Torpedoed
Unarmed "Passenger"
Vessel in the Lower
Adriatic.

Recent French Report Told
of "Transport" Being
Sent to the Bottom on
May 10.

Paris War Office Reports
Repulse of Two German
Attacks on Dead Man's
Hill—Bombardment at
Avocourt.

BERLIN, May 12, by wireless to Sayville.—The Austro-Hungarian passenger steamer Dubrovnik has been torpedoed and sunk by an enemy submarine in the Adriatic, says an Overseas News Agency announcement today. "The Dubrovnik was not armed and was torpedoed without any warning whatever."

FRENCH REPULSE TWO ATTACKS ON DEAD MAN'S HILL

Germans Attempted to Recapture
Positions That Were
Lost May 10.

PARIS, May 12.—Two attempts by the Germans last night to recapture positions on the western slope of Dead Man's Hill, taken by the French on May 10, were frustrated by the French artillery fire.

GERMANS STORM BRITISH LINES NEAR HULLUCH

BERLIN, via London, May 12.—German troops yesterday stormed several British lines near Hulluch, says the official statement issued today at army headquarters.

Hulluch is north of Lens, in Northern France, about three miles distant from that city. Hulluch was taken by the British in the offensive of last September.

The move reported today may be significant as indicating a possible purpose on the part of the Germans to open a determined offensive against the British who now hold a considerable proportion of the Franco-Belgian front.

British guns have commanded Lens, which is held by the Germans, for months past and the place has frequently been shelled. It is from this section of the line that one of the drives in an allied offensive for the purpose of taking the important city of Lille, north of Lens, would doubtless be directed.

20 in Crew of Torpedoed Vessel Are Landed.

LONDON, May 12.—Lloyd's reports that 20 members of the crew of the British steamer Dolosch, which was reported Wednesday night as having been sunk, have been landed at Ramsgate. One of the crew is missing. The ship was unarmed.

Italian Aviation Chief Reported to Have Been Killed.

BERLIN, May 12.—Col. Pastini, a widely known Italian aviator, who was a competitor in the international aviation race in Paris in 1915, was killed recently near Gorizia, when his airplane was shot down, according to the Bologna Resto del Carlino, the Overseas News Agency states.

BRITISH SOLDIERS IN FRANCE CARRY ANESTHETIC IN KIT

NEW YORK, May 12.—Small bottles of anesthetic are being placed in the kits sent to the soldiers of the British army in France by the Vacation War Relief Association. A spraying apparatus is attached to the bottle, so the wounded soldier may apply the liquid to his wound quickly.

GERMANY TO HAVE A DEPARTMENT TO COMBAT BLOCKADE

Its Head, Who May Be Created
Minister of Foods, Will
Have Wide Powers.

By KARL H. VON WIEGAND.
A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and the New York World.
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BERLIN, May 10, via Amsterdam, May 11.—Germany is considering the creation of a Minister of Foods, whose duty it would be to match his wits against the British Minister of Blockade.

The Minister of Foods would be expected to control and direct the supply and distribution of foods, feeding Germany's millions in such a manner as to minimize the effect of Great Britain's war against the noncombatant population and prevent the British grip on Germany's throat from becoming tighter.

Plans are now being formulated in conference for the creation of a central department of foodstuffs, the head of which will have almost dictatorial powers for making uniform food regulations for the empire. At present each of the various states and kingdoms make its own regulations, which, differing one from another and therefore are not the most efficient for economical and equitable distribution.

The head of this vitally important department will be directly responsible to the Chancellor and will have far-reaching initiative, executive and administrative powers.

Count Hertling, the Bavarian Premier, is here conferring with the Chancellor, presumably upon this subject.

I understand that Minister of the Interior Debrueck, who is reported ill, probably will retire.

TOWNSHEND'S TWO DAUGHTERS SAID TO HAVE BEEN AT KUT

Berlin Hears That Women Refused
to Accept Free Passage Through
the Turkish Lines.

BERLIN, via wireless to Sayville, May 12.—The Frankfurter Zeitung publishes a report that Gen. Townshend, the British commander who recently surrendered at Kut El Amara, Mesopotamia, had with him in the fortress his two daughters. They have been sent to Constantinople, the report states.

The Commander in Chief of the Turkish forces several times offered them free passage through the lines during the siege of Kut-El-Amara, the newspaper says, but they refused to accept the offer.

COUNTIES PLAN NEW ROADS

Letters From Clay and Stoddard Tell
of Contemplated Road.

Clay County, Mo., is considering plans for calling of a special election to vote upon an issue of \$1,250,000 road improvement bonds and Stoddard County is figuring upon an issue of \$1,000,000 similar bonds, according to letters received today by William Seitel, Clerk of St. Louis County.

Edgar Archer, Clerk of Clay County, asked to be supplied with information regarding the routine of calling and conducting a special election. A similar request came from J. Fort, an attorney of Dexter, Mo., who wrote that an enthusiastic meeting of citizens was held in Dexter Wednesday night at which the sentiment favored the calling of a special election to provide good roads.

ROOT SURE WAR IS COMING

Tells Red Cross U. S. Will Have to
Fight for Its Liberty.

NEW YORK, May 12.—In addressing members of the New York County Chapter of the American Red Cross yesterday, Elihu Root warned them that their services would very probably be needed, as he felt sure that war is coming to this country.

"There are several results from this world war which are likely to lead our country into either subversion or into war," he said. "The liberty for which America stands is likely to be taken away unless some of us make sacrifices."

FAMOUS ARTISTS DEPICT PATHOS OF WAR-BLIND HEROES OF EUROPE

Reproduction in colors in the
SUNDAY MAGAZINE of notable war drawings by
Charles Dana Gibson, Emil Fuchs, F. C. Yohn, Thure de Thallstrup and H. A. Ogden.

FRANK H. SIMONDS visits the battlefields of Lorraine—The Post-Dispatch's noted analyst, who has just returned from a visit to the Western war front, tells of what he saw during a visit to the heights of Lorraine and the battlefields thereabout, which have been the scenes of some of the most desperate fighting of the war.

MRS. HUMPHRY WARD tells how the notable families of England have suffered from the war; how the heirs of 47 famous houses have fallen gloriously on the field of honor and hundreds less famous, but yet of England's best blood, have given their lives for their country.

CALL TO ARMS BY IRELAND'S ILL-FATED "PROVINCIAL PRESIDENT"

Patrick H. Pearse's last stirring address to the members of Sinn Fein, just a few days before the Dublin rebellion, advising them the time had come to strike for Irish freedom and nationality.

ASQUITH IS IN IRELAND INQUIRING INTO CONDITIONS

Premier's Visit Expected to Result
Shortly in Withdrawal
of Martial Law.

COUNTRY NOT ALL QUIET

Official Will Begin Making Plans
for Reconstructing Destroyed
Buildings.

DUBLIN, May 12.—Premier Asquith arrived in Dublin today and was taken in an automobile to the Vice Regal lodge. The Premier's program was for the day first a conference with departmental chiefs and afterward consultation with Gen. Maxwell in regard to the military situation, which is well in hand.

It is reported that a proclamation will be issued shortly abolishing martial law, the provisions of which have been greatly modified in the last few days.

The situation in some parts of the provinces is said to be still rather disturbed, and it is likely that military control will continue in these districts.

Premier Asquith intended also to meet several civilian deputations, so as to learn at first hand their ideas concerning the reconstruction of the destroyed portion of Dublin and perhaps to formulate a plan for compensation. There is a relief apparent among the population at the promised cessation of executions, which were beginning to cause considerable agitation.

A statement issued in Dublin last night says:

"The trials of those who took an active part in the rising in Dublin are practically concluded. Those arrested in the provinces are now being dealt with. In view of the gravity of the rebellion and its connection with German intrigue and propaganda and in view of the great loss of life and destruction of property resulting therefrom, the general officer commanding has found it necessary to inflict the most severe sentences on the known organizers of this detestable rising and those commanders who took an active part in the actual fighting which occurred."

It is hoped that these examples will be sufficient to act as a deterrent to intriguers and to warn them that the murder of His Majesty's liege subjects, or other acts calculated to imperil the safety of the realm, will not be tolerated.

KILLED BY STREET CAR IN FRONT OF PLACE WHERE HE WORKED

August Schain Stepped in Front of
Coach, Hodiamont Conductor
Tells the Police.

August Schain, 35 years old, of 301 Park avenue, was run down and killed shortly after noon today by a westbound Hodiamont car in front of the N. N. Schuster Wagon and Carriage Co., 125 Wash street, where he was employed.

His head was crushed and his left arm severed. He was alive when picked up by the car crew, but died in an ambulance on the way to the dispensary.

Employees at the wagon company said the man had just finished lunch and that Schain then stepped outside. The conductor of the car told the police Schain walked in front of the car. A policeman took the car crew to the Carr Street Station.

PRESIDENT ON WEEK-END TRIP

Boards Mayflower for a Journey on
the Potomac.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—President Wilson departed this afternoon for a week-end trip down the Potomac River on the Mayflower.

He expects to return to the capital late Sunday night or early Monday morning.

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Langing Is Chilean's Guest.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Secretary Lansing was the guest of honor at a dinner given last night at the Chilean embassy by Enrique Cueva, Confucius and Charge of the embassy.

Gen. Obregon and His Staff Consulting With Consul Garcia at Juarez



Obregon is reading a card and Consul Garcia, whose station is El Paso, just across the river from Juarez, is the man in citizen's clothes at Obregon's right.

STEWART IN FIGHT WITH MT. VERNON SANATORIUM HEAD

Dr. English Floors Employee
With Three Blows, According
to Employee.

By a Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

MOUNT VERNON, Mo., May 12.—Many patients at the State Tuberculosis Sanatorium here have sent letters and telegrams to Gov. Major in the last few days, demanding an investigation of the management of the institution. This is apart from the action of the grand jury which began an investigation after the Post-Dispatch told of the shipment of chairs from the Missouri State Building at the San Francisco Exposition, which were to go to the sanatorium to individual members of the Board of Managers.

Since the grand jury inquiry started there have been several events which have caused further discontent among the patients.

Dr. C. C. English, superintendent of the sanatorium, Wednesday called a nurse, Miss Pearl Simms, to his office and demanded her resignation. In doing so he mentioned her name in connection with that of Jerry Farmer, a patient, in a way that was embarrassing to Miss Simms.

Threatens Superintendent.

Miss Simms then went to the patient's quarters in another building and told Farmer what Dr. English had said. Farmer picked up a baseball bat and went to Dr. English's office. He followed Dr. English into another room and announced his intention of attacking him with the bat, but he was overpowered by attendants and the bat was taken from him.

Just before Farmer arrived at the office, Dr. English and William J. Salts, the steward of the institution, had a fight.

Dr. English today refused to discuss the dismissal of Miss Simms or the fight with the steward.

Salts gave his version of the encounter when seen by the Post-Dispatch correspondent. He said English entered his office to discuss sanatorium business, and that he got into a controversy.

According to Salts he said to English: "Dr. English, I have three sons and if they knew how you treated me I don't know whether I could hold them down." English, he said, made a slighting remark about Salts' sons, seriously reflecting on their character and reputation.

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SHOWERS LIKELY TONIGHT AND TOMORROW; COOL

THE TEMPERATURES.

3 a. m. 55 10 a. m. 68
6 a. m. 65 1 p. m. 75
9 a. m. 75 2 p. m. 82
Humidity at 7 a. m. today, 64 per cent.

THE STRAW HAT FOZZLED ITS APPROACH

Official forecast for St. Louis an indication of showers tonight and probably Saturday, continued cool.

Missouri—Showers tonight and probably Saturday, continued cool.

Illinois—Showers tonight and probably Saturday, continued cool.

Stage of the river, 21.5 feet, a fall of .4 of a foot.

CONSCRIPTION AT ONCE IF WE HAVE WAR, TAFT SUGGESTS

Says America's Trouble Is That We
"Cannot Look Out for the Future."

NEW YORK, May 12.—Former President Taft, speaking here last night at the annual banquet of the Manufacturing Perfumers' Association, declared "that the trouble with us Americans is that we cannot look out for the future."

"In my judgment," he said, "when we get into a war we ought to have conscription at once. We ought to have conscription so that everyone should be equally subject to military service. I think England now would be much better off had she adopted conscription earlier. Everyone ought to stand equally before the law in rendering military service."

McCLURE HEARS PEACE TALK ONLY IN GERMANY AND AUSTRIA

Says People Desire It for Commercial
Reasons—All Belligerents Consider Their Armies Will Win.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Samuel S. McClure, the publisher, who arrived from Copenhagen last night on the steamer Oscar II, said he found sentiment for peace only in Germany and Austria.

"I have visited all the belligerent nations and did not find a suggestion of peace except in those two countries, where the people desire it for commercial reasons only," said McClure. "By that I mean that they wish to resume their business relations with other nations, not that they fear defeat."

"The English, French, Russians, Belgians, Italians, Germans, Austrians, Hungarians, Bulgarians and Turks are all confident of victory for their respective armies and determined to fight to the end."

SERGEANT THANKS 'SPOT' REGAN

Saves Police Trouble of Seeking Him
by Reporting Theft.

James (Spot) Regan, who, according to the police, conducts the Century Social Club, 233 North Twelfth street, called at Central Police Station at 2 o'clock this morning to report the alleged theft of some empty beer cases.

"Thanks for coming in, Spot," said the Desk Sergeant.

"What are you thanking me for?" inquired Regan.

"Why, you have saved us the trouble of looking for you," was the reply.

As the bewildered Regan was being led back to the cellroom, patrolmen explained to him that he was wanted for passing a check for \$27.50 on Adolph Reinecke, a saloon keeper at 1320 North Broadway, which was returned by the bank as worthless.

STEAMER LEASED AS HOTEL FOR CHICAGO CONVENTION

Boat Will Cruise About Lake From
2 A. M. to 8 A. M.—Rates \$6 to \$15 a Day.

CHICAGO, May 12.—Fred W. Upham, chairman of the local committee on Republican National Convention Affairs, today engaged the steamship Alabama as a floating hotel to be used by delegates and visitors during convention week. The boat, it is said, is the first of a number that probably will be used for temporary accommodations.

The Alabama has accommodations for 312 persons. From 2 a. m. until 8 a. m. it will cruise about the lake. The rates will be from \$6 to \$15 a day.

S. M. Felton, president of the Chicago Great Western Railway, made the first reservation.

Demand for accommodations during convention week has exhausted the supply of rooms in Chicago hotels, and many visitors will live in private homes, in some cases entire houses being rented to care for parties from out of the city.

Last year the Post-Dispatch printed 2,774 Male Help Wanted Ads. just 11,000 more than its nearest competitor.

Hobson Beaten for Congress.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., May 12.—William B. Bankhead, son of Senator Bankhead, has defeated former Congressman Richard Hobson for the congressional nomination in the newly created Tenth District by 51 votes. Hobson has announced he will contest.

JOBS OF LAMM MEN IN CITY HALL ARE IN JEOPARDY

C. S. Eggemann's Resignation
Demanded by Swingle as
His Secretary.

The resignation of Charles S. Eggemann as secretary to Director of Public Safety Charles E. Swingle because Eggemann, as a member of the Republican City Committee, refused to vote for the endorsement of John E. Swanger for Governor, has been demanded by Swingle.

Charles S. Luce, Assistant Superintendent of Dumps in the Street Department, who has been active in the organization of a Henry Lamm for Governor Club in the Fifth Ward, has been fired by Joseph Slater, Street Commissioner.

It is reported in political circles that many other city hall employees, who refused to become active in the support of Swanger for Governor, have been notified that they must either "get right" or hand in their resignations.

Aldermen May Investigate.

A resolution is being prepared today to be introduced in the Board of Aldermen during the afternoon to investigate the fight made upon the Lamm supporters on the city payroll. Aldermen Ralph Eilers of the Twenty-seventh Ward is having the resolution prepared. The investigation will be asked for on the theory that it is a violation of the city charter to discharge city employees for political reasons, and that it is also a violation of the spirit of the State primary election law, which presumes that everyone shall have the right to cast his vote unhampered by the choice for any State or local office.

Committee Eggemann said today that it would be political suicide for him to support Swanger for Governor in the Eleventh Ward, as Judge Lamm for Governor had been endorsed by both the Republican and Democratic organizations and the Republican club of the ward.

He said that the business people of the ward were for Judge Lamm, and that it was clear that Lamm would carry the ward by 3000 votes over Swanger.

For those reasons he said he had refused to line up for Swanger, and had resisted the pressure that had been brought to bear upon him.

Luce Told to Quit.

Luce said that Street Commissioner Slater called him into his office last Thursday and told him that his activity for Judge Lamm was very offensive to the Street Department, and that he would either have to cease his political activities or resign.

Luce is a candidate for Republican City Committee in the Fifth Ward against Gabriel Roth, a clerk in Circuit Clerk Graves' office.

Luce said that he told Slater that he would neither resign, nor cease his work for Judge Lamm, nor withdraw as a candidate against Roth. Thereupon, he said, Slater notified him that he was to be discharged June 1.

Slater, when asked by a Post-Dispatch reporter this morning why he had fired Luce, refused to answer the question and appeared to resent being interrogated on the subject.

Director of Public Safety Swingle, although he is usually at his office by 9 a. m., could not be found at the city hall during the morning.

Eggemann said that he did not wish to discuss the demand for his resignation. He intimated that he did not believe that Director Swingle, of his own accord, had asked for the resignation.

AMERICAN MINING CAMP NEAR BORDER OF ARIZONA RAIDED

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Polaris, Mex.—U. S. Troops
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A telephone message received here from Washington Camp, near the border, this afternoon, stated that American soldiers had crossed the line and visited Polaris Camp, but the bandits had fled.

MEXICAN SLAYERS CAUGHT, 1 KILLED

Three Who Murdered American
Farmer Near Mercedes, Tex.,
Overtaken by posse.

BROWNSVILLE, Tex., May 12.—Three Mexicans who killed Curtis Bayles, near Mercedes, last night, were surrounded today, one of them was killed and the other two captured, according to a report received at Fort Brown. The two captives are being held at military headquarters at Progreso, 8 miles from Mercedes, the report said. The three men are supposed to have been attempting to enter Mexico. Bayles, a farmer near Mercedes, was shot by the Mexicans a short distance from his home. He was alone in a field near an irrigation ditch, in which his body was found floating. A posse of Americans pursued his slayers.

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WASHINGTON, May 12.—Secretary Baker announced after today's Cabinet meeting that no change in the Mexican policy had been decided upon. No new orders for militia organizations to go to the border were in contemplation, he said, and indicated that no general intervention in Mexico was being thought of at present.

The State Department received word today that Gen. Trevino had ordered 1500 Carranza cavalry and infantry toward the border to pursue the bandits responsible for the recent raids at Glenn Springs and Boquilla, Tex.

Negotiations with the Carranza Government over disposition of American troops in Mexico were transferred to Washington today by failure of Gen. Scott and Funston and Gen. Obregon, Mexican War Minister, to reach an agreement at El Paso last night. Hereafter discussions will be conducted through diplomatic channels, directly between President Wilson and Secretary Lansing and Gen. Carranza and Elias Arredondo, Mexican Ambassador designate.

Despite the ending of the El Paso parleys without a conclusion being arrived at on the questions discussed, officials here do not appear to consider the relations between the United States and the Carranza Government to be unduly strained. They believe the Governments may yet reach an understanding.

Renewed indications were given that the administration has no intention of withdrawing American troops until it is definitely established that the danger of further border raids has been removed. The President's Secretary Baker said that for the present he thought there were sufficient American troops along the border to handle the situation.

Hints of Unwritten Agreement.

Belief was expressed at the Mexican embassy that Gen. Scott, Funston and Obregon were in accord on several important subjects when the conference was concluded. It was indicated that the effect of the conference would be shown in the future operations of American and Mexican forces against outlaws, although no written agreement had resulted.

Gen. Scott's report, received today, amplifying the official statement issued by the conference at El Paso last night, was transmitted to Secretary Lansing and also was considered at the Cabinet meeting. Its contents were not revealed, but there were some indications of an unwritten agreement having been formulated to cover co-operative action along the border for the present.

Secretary Baker said the conference had tried to reach a basis for a written agreement but found it impossible, although all interchange were of the most friendly character.

It was suggested that Gen. Carranza, faced by the political situation in Mexico, was unwilling

of the El Paso conference, has been taking every possible precaution to prevent being caught napping by anything which might develop beyond the border. The latest move was that made Wednesday, when 100 line officers on detached service were ordered back to their regiments for active duty. The classes at the Army War College and other service schools were graduated nearly two months ahead of schedule, to set these officers free to aid in training recruits and national guardsmen in the field. There now remain only 250 line officers detached from their commands. These are stationed at West Point or assigned as instructors with national guard regiments or various military schools or colleges. They will be called to the posts only in pressing emergency, and their work is vital to the building up of anything resembling a system of military defense.

RAIDERS ROUTED IN BORDER ATTACK

Other Mexicans Fire on Military Auto and Then Flee; 14 Men Arrested, Only Four Held.

MARATHON, Tex., May 12.—Mexican bandits again crossed the American territory Wednesday night and attacked civilians and soldiers. The raid was made four miles north of Boquillas, at an ore terminal station and directly behind Maj. Langhorne's column, which, up to that time, had not crossed the border. After a short skirmish, the raiders fled. Mexican bandits Wednesday evening fired on a military automobile conveying a message from Maj. Langhorne to Col. Sibbey, at a point 15 miles north of Boquillas, on the Marathon-Boquillas road.

Five shots were fired at the driver, J. Howard, who escaped unhurt, according to J. M. Henderson, who was following in another machine, several miles back and who arrived here late last night from Boquillas.

A detachment of 50 men belonging to Maj. Langhorne's command crossed over into Mexico opposite Boquillas and Glenn Springs and arrested 14 Mexicans. Later in the afternoon Maj. Langhorne released all but four, who are being held pending further investigation.

Jesse Deemer, the American storekeeper, kidnapped by the Glenn Springs and Boquillas bandits, is being held for ransom, according to Juan C. Cowan, manager of the Candelaria wax factory at Roberts, 25 miles south of Boquillas. Cowan, who arrived here, said he heard this information from a Mexican who had talked to a Captain of one of the raiding bands. Cowan has asked "military protection" for his plant, which he believes to be in danger.

OBREGON MOVES 10,000 TROOPS

EL PASO, Tex., May 12.—Juan N. Amador, Subsecretary of Foreign Affairs of the de facto Mexican Government, who participated with Gen. Obregon in the conference here with the American Generals, called on Gen. Scott today and reiterated assertions that troop dispositions necessary to restore and maintain order along the northern frontier had been ordered. Gen. Obregon, who will command the Mexican forces, has directed Gen. Trevino to send 10,000 men into the State of Chihuahua and into Northern Coahuila, from Torreon, San Pedro and other points in the southern part of Coahuila. Immediate occupation of the district about Paredon de Amador, that the withdrawal of the American troops from the district below Namiquipa was under way and Amador said this district would be controlled without loss of time by the Mexican forces.

Amador told newspaper men today that he had done away with the amiable agreement with the United States over the border situation at an early date. He will take part in the further negotiations from Mexico City.

"And you may be certain," he said, "that the danger of a conflict between Mexican troops and American soldiers pending these negotiations does not exist."

Unless action is forced by the Mexicans the American army will make no forward move while negotiations are being conducted. Active preparations along the Arizona-New Mexico-Texas border will be made, however, and Gen. Funston expects to strengthen all border points that might be objectives of raiding.

It is said that Gen. Obregon was willing to make concessions in the parley here in order to reach an agreement with the American conferees, but was overruled by the first chief and his advisers.

The following statement was given to newspaper men at the close of the conference last night.

"We wish to announce that after several conferences, marked throughout with conspicuous courtesy and good will, in which conference mutual impressions were exchanged and information was collected on the military situation on the frontier, it was agreed upon by the conferees to suspend the conferences and report back to their Governments, in order that these may be able, through their respective Executive Departments, to conclude this matter; and that the outline of these conferences does not mean, in any way, a rupture of the good relations or the friendship between the conferees nor between the respective governments."

A. OBREGON.
H. L. SCOTT.
FREDERICK FUNSTON.

Oakes Candy Sale Fri. & Sat., 10c Lb. Choc. Bitter Sweet, Mol. Honey Nougat, Queen Coconut Dainties. 512 Locust st.

New Wooster College President. WOOSTER, O., May 12.—Dr. J. Campbell White, for 19 years head of the layman's missionary movement of the United States and Canada, was inaugurated president of Wooster College at 10 a. m. today in the presence of 2000 guests, including presidents and delegates from more than 60 colleges and universities over the United States. Dr. White was graduated from here in 1890.

SECOND ARREST IN HOME FOR ELDERLY CASE IS EXPECTED

Police Dig Up Cellar and Sound Walls in Continuing Murder Inquiry.

BLAMES AMATEUR SLEUTHS

Counsel for Mrs. Gilligan Says There Is No Basis for Poison Charges.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 12.—Another visit by the State Police to the Archer Home for Elderly People at Windsor, the proprietor of which, Mrs. Amy E. Archer Gilligan, is under arrest here charged with murder, and a report that a second arrest in the case might come soon, were outstanding features of the investigation today.

Mrs. Gilligan is specifically charged with having caused the death by poisoning of Franklin R. Andrews, an inmate of the home, in May, 1914, but as the investigation has progressed it is said to have brought developments which may result in further charges being placed against her.

The State Police in their search of the



MRS. AMY E. ARCHER GILLIGAN

house have been going over it carefully, digging up the cellar and sounding the walls to discover hollow spots, if any. The purpose of this minute search has not been disclosed.

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The girl is attractive, with pretty blue eyes, and her smart attire today was of an expensive sort. She is a student of music and evidently the object of her mother's great devotion. Her identity, except that of Andrews, have not been disclosed. A local newspaper has been at work for two years seeking to establish a foundation for rumors of crime in the Archer home and actually promoted one improper investigation which disclosed nothing improper in its conduct.

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"There are a great many elements in this case," said Holden, "which are irresistibly reminiscent of the exploits of Philo Gubb, the correspondence school 'detective' and paper hanger. All sorts of boy sleuth reporters have been sloughing around for years. The official investigators have been at work for years and found nothing. Then a chemist says that there is a trace of arsenic in the body of a man buried two years ago, and a frightful hubbub with charges of wholesale poisoning is the result."

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"The whole charge is merely a case of amateur sleuths with influence seeking."

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The Census Bureau estimates that 300,000 babies died in this country last year before the age of one year, and it is stated that one-half of these deaths were needless if all mothers were strong and all infants were breast-fed.

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GRAND JURY TAKES UP PAYNE & BECKER CASE TODAY

Milling Man Holds Demand Note of Defunct Brokerage Firm of \$39,000.

An investigation of the affairs of the bankrupt brokerage firm of Payne & Becker, which closed its offices in the Chemical Building Nov. 19, will be started this afternoon by the grand jury.

Complaint against the concern has been made to the Circuit Attorney by Otto Bollman of 6355 Waterman avenue. Bollman was one of three creditors who filed an involuntary petition in bankruptcy against the company two days after it went out of business. He alleges he holds a demand note for \$39,000, signed by Payne & Becker, Oct. 29 last, and that it is unpaid. He says he received the note in a transaction in which the Republic Milling Co. of East St. Louis, of which he was president, placed an order for that much corn through Payne & Becker.

Robert McCracken of New Orleans, formerly with the Republic Milling Co., will be at witness before the grand jury.

Several complaints against the brokerage firm have been made to the Circuit Attorney's office since the failure, but this is the first time that the case will have been presented to the grand jury. Bonnie A. Becker, member of the firm, has been missing since the day he closed the office. Creditors, who have been searching for him, have been told that he is in Canada. He is a son of Howard A. Becker of 5370 Cabanne avenue, who is considered wealthy.

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SETTLEMENT APPROVED

Avoidance of Breach Is Chief Thing, Says the Frankfurter Zeitung.

BERLIN, via London, May 12.—"So long as the United States really takes steps to force Great Britain to observe the rules and obligations of international law and treaties, it is immaterial whether the action is due to Germany's 'expectation' that this will be done, or whether it is done independently of any German wish or request. The main thing is that it be done."

"That is the general summing up of the press comments here of Secretary Lansing's explanation of the American answer to the German note."

The Vossische Zeitung puts it as follows:

"Secretary Lansing says as if we were permitting ourselves to be impelled by German pressure to make serious representations to London, but we shall make those representations."

"The Lokal Anzeiger understands Secretary Lansing's statement to mean that the State Department has no further quarrel with Germany."

"U. S. Compelled to Act."

"Secretary Lansing's reference to England's treaty obligations toward America," the papers say, "would have no sense if he did not think that England had not observed these. Hence he must be convinced that England had violated these obligations and that America naturally is compelled to act."

The Morgen Post publishes a strikingly conciliatory and mild article while renewing the accusations against American neutrality, refutes "those critics who declared that President Wilson desired a breach."

Revelation Unreconciled.

Count von Reventlow of the Tages Zeitung is still unreconciled. His comment is along the already familiar line.

The Frankfurter Zeitung is not pleased with the tone of the American answer, but says that is immaterial.

"The chief thing," it says, "is that our empire's leaders have achieved their purpose. We may now assume that the German Empire will remain at peace with the United States, disappointing the dearest hopes of our enemies."

U. S. to Inquire Into Punishment of U-Boat Commander.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Secretary Lansing indicated yesterday that the United States might make inquiries of the German Government regarding the punishment imposed upon the commander of the submarine that damaged the steamer Sussex.

It was not disclosed how the inquiry would be made. State Department officials were not prepared today to say whether the department would insist upon any specific degree of punishment being inflicted upon the commander. There are numerous precedents for making such an inquiry. Germany during trouble in China insisted upon the execution of certain persons in the presence of a German officer. Secretary Lansing also indicated that the United States might make inquiries regarding the punishment inflicted by the Austrian Government upon the submarine commander that sank the Italian steamer Ancona and also in case of the liner Arabic.

Tagblatt Says Germany Will Not Answer American Note.

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HIGHEST TUBERCULOSIS DEATH RATE IN POORER DISTRICTS

Public Health Service Report Gives Result of Exhaustive Tests. Growing Cities Make Best Showing.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The close relation of poverty to tuberculosis is emphasized in a report today of the Public Health Service, after an extensive investigation in many cities. One-sixth of all tuberculosis cases, it declares, develop in cheap lodging houses and one-fifth are traceable to occupational hazards and bad working conditions.

Statistics from Cincinnati and Pittsburgh are cited. In the former city's tenement district tuberculosis mortality was found to be three times as great as in the better sections and the average monthly income of 187 families in which cases were found was computed at \$57. Much the same condition was discovered in Pittsburgh.

NEW YORK TO DROP HORSE CARS

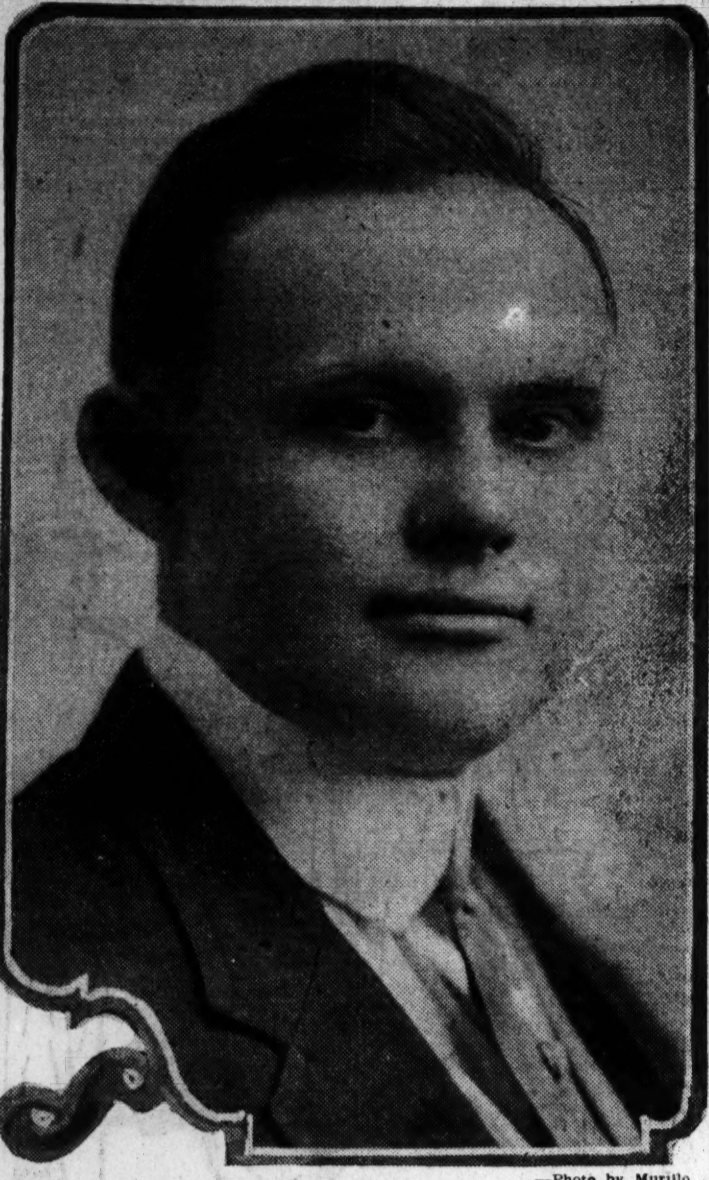
Manhattan Attraction to Be Abolished in Six Months. The horse cars are going. Despite the age and previous record of that statement, there is reason to believe that the time is fast approaching when people will no longer come to New York in the summer to find what a horse car looks like.

A. R. Peacock of counsel for the New York Railways Co. told the Public Service Commission that 7 storage battery cars have been ordered and will be put in service on Avenue C and Madison street as soon as they are received. In six months, he said, the horse cars would be replaced.

Berlin Avenue Home Robbed.

Burglars yesterday afternoon, ransacked the home of Miss Marie Ketchum, 1367 Berlin avenue, in the absence of the family and stole jewelry valued at \$30.

Local Leader in "Peace" Propaganda Who May Come Out for the Bench



HANS WULFF. —Photo by Muriel.

TRAVELER ROBBED OF \$830 BY MAN POSING AS DETECTIVE

West Virginian Discovers Loss on Arrival Here En Route to Taylor, Mo.

Anton Gunde, en route from Charleston, W. Va., to Taylor, Mo., discovered when he went to purchase a ticket at Union Station last night that he had been robbed of \$830.

In reporting the theft to the police he recalled that the last time he had seen his money was in Columbus, O. There he had strolled away from the depot while waiting to change trains and had picked up an acquaintance with another traveler. They were taking a walk when his companion accused him of robbing him of his purse.

While they were arguing the matter, Gunde said, a second man appeared on the scene and introduced himself as a detective.

"The detective" found that Gunde's companion had missed a wallet containing \$180.

"This can't belong to you," said the "detective," as he examined Gunde's purse. "There's more than \$180 in here."

Gunde's purse was thrust back into his pocket and he was hustled off to the depot by the man posing as a detective. There he told him that the other fellow was a crook. Gunde did not think of inspecting his purse until he went to purchase a railroad ticket at Union Station last night.

FIVE AUTO EQUIPMENT FIRMS FORM \$60,000,000 MERGER

All Will Operate Individually, but Not in Competition—Members Will Form Central Directorate.

NEW YORK, May 12.—Announcement of the formation of the United Motors Corporation, a combination of five companies manufacturing automobile equipment, was made here today by W. C. Durant, head of the Chevrolet Motor Co. and one of the sponsors for the corporation. Its stock, which will have no par value, has already been underwritten by a banking syndicate for \$60,000,000.

The concerns taken over are the Dayton Engineering Laboratories Co. of Dayton, O., manufacturing starting, lighting and ignition devices; the Hyatt Roller Bearing Co. of Harrison, N. J., the New Departure Manufacturing Co. of Bristol, Conn., manufacturing angular bearings; the Remy Electric Co. of Anderson, Ind., which specializes in ignition devices; and the Periman Rim Corporation of Jackson, Mich., manufacturing demountable rims.

The companies will continue to be operated as separate units and representatives from the management of each will comprise the board of directors of the United Motors Corporation. The companies are not competitive. It is stated.

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TRY OIL OF KOREIN TO KEEP WEIGHT DOWN, OR TO REDUCE SUPERFLUOUS FAT.

People who are confined within doors and who are deprived of fresh, invigorating air and exercise must take precaution to guard against over-sturdiness, as fat acquired by indoor life is unhealthy and a danger to the vital organs of the body.

Lack of exercise, lack of fresh air and lack of sunlight are the three main causes of obesity. The body is unable to produce strong muscles and vitality, and the formation of unhealthy fat is the result.

If you are 15 or 20 pounds above normal weight you are daily drawing on your reserve strength and are constantly lowering your vitality by carrying this excess burden. Any person who is satisfied in their own mind that it is too stout are advised to go to Wolff-Wulff's Oil of Korein.

Get a box of oil of korein capsules and take one or two capsules and one just before retiring at night.

Even a few days' treatment has been reported to show a noticeable reduction in weight, improved digestion and a reduction of the old energy. The body becomes lighter and the skin less flabby in appearance. The blood is purified and the system is invigorated. Oil of korein is inexpensive, cannot injure, and helps the digestion. Any person who wants to reduce 15 or 20 pounds is advised to give this treatment a trial.

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HANS WULFF THINKS OF RUNNING FOR JUDGESHIP

Lawyer Was Behind Flood of Peace Telegrams Sent From St. Louis.

DECISION NEXT WEEK

Henry J. Kersting of German-American Alliance Is Out for Congress.

Hans Wulff, who became prominent as St. Louis agent of the Munitions Embargo Committee, which flooded Congress with telegrams protesting against any break between the United States and Germany, is considering the advisability of running for the Republican nomination for Judge of the Court of Criminal Causes.

Wulff, who has been credited by politicians with an ambition to serve on the criminal bench, told a Post-Dispatch reporter today that he would not determine definitely until next week whether he would become a candidate.

Other candidates for the nomination are W. D. Moore, a Justice of the Peace; James C. Shaner and Jones H. Parker. Henry J. Kersting, president of the German-American Alliance of St. Louis, will be a candidate for Congress in the Tenth District against Jacob E. Meeker, the present Congressman. Fred Essen of Clayton also has announced as a candidate.

Kersting's father was forced to leave Germany to escape political persecution. The younger Kersting has been active in the German propaganda in this country. He announced as candidate for Congress two years ago, but withdrew in favor of Meeker, who afterward succeeded in getting him a job making anti-prohibition speeches.

Wulff is active. Wulff, in furtherance of his political ambitions, has been attending all of the political meetings in St. Louis recently.

An execution for \$64 against Wulff, on a judgment on a note, was issued against Wulff by the Circuit Court Monday.

The execution was obtained by Mrs. Missouri A. Rogers, who loaned \$64 to Wulff on a note to which was signed the names of Wulff, Walter A. Kelly, a blind lawyer, and George H. Stein, now dead, former law partner of Wulff. Kelly made the defense that he was induced by Stein to sign the note, in the belief that he was signing a contract to buy law books.

Wulff's defense was that he did not make the note, and that his partner acted without his authority. Kelly appealed from the verdict of the Circuit Court, but Wulff did not, and an execution was issued against him.

Judge Leo S. Ransier, James E. Withrow and Wilson A. Taylor of the Circuit Court all have filed as candidates for renomination on the Republican ticket.

A. V. H. of Union, Mo., filed with the Republican League today as a candidate for State Treasurer.

W. C. Askin of Salem filed as a candidate for Secretary of State. M. E. Rhodes of Potosi filed as a candidate for Congress in the Thirtieth District, and Robert J. Smith of Campbell filed as a candidate in the Fourteenth District.

TWO MEN HURT IN WRECK OF AUTO REPORTED MISSING

Driver of Machine Describes Himself as Frank Thorwegan, Son of Capt. Thorwegan of Gray Eagle.

Frank Thorwegan, a steamboat pilot, who says he is a son of Capt. W. H. Thorwegan of the steamer Gray Eagle and who gave his address at 613 North Pendleton avenue, was severely injured last night when an automobile driven by him ran into a telephone pole at Compton and Chouteau avenues. J. Harvey Palt, 27 years old, of 317 North Theresa avenue, who was with Thorwegan, also was injured. Both were taken to the city hospital.

The automobile, which was wrecked, was identified as the property of W. G. Ginnocchio, 1545 Mississippi avenue, who told the police that it had been driven away without his consent from in front of Dreamland, 3317 Olive street.

Thorwegan's injuries consisted of cuts on the face and left hand and a fractured left leg. Palt's nose and right arm were fractured.

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LETTER FROM T. R. TAKEN AS A BID FOR NOMINATION

Colonel Writes to "Roosevelt Nonpartisan League" Approving Its Work.

DEFINES PROPER ATTITUDE

Communication Follows Talk That Justice Hughes Might Be Acceptable to Progressives.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. OYSTER BAY, N. Y., May 12.—Following the talk that Justice Hughes might be acceptable to the Progressives under certain conditions as a unity candidate, Col. Roosevelt has issued what politicians regard as a virtual declaration of his own candidacy for the presidential nomination.

It takes the form of a reply to a communication from the Roosevelt Nonpartisan League, informing the Colonel that, in the opinion of the league, he is "the principal available man as leader," and the only one who "has any chance of being elected."

The reply is sent to Guy Emerson, national secretary of the league, and says:

"As you know, I have refused to endorse the use of my name in the primaries or in any way to enter any factional contest which has for its object my nomination in Chicago in June. You also know that I have emphatically stated that it would be unwise to nominate me unless with the full understanding that such nomination means the hearty endorsement of the principles for which I stand—the principles set forth in the Chicago speech (delivered April 29) to which you refer."

League Represents His Principles. Further on in his letter Roosevelt says:

"Your league emphasizes its devotion to those principles and supports me only as representing those principles. This is emphatically the proper attitude to take; and because this is your attitude and because you are working in this spirit, I very earnestly approve your work."

"The safety of this country depends upon our immediate, serious and vigorous effort to square our words with our deeds and to secure our own national rehabilitation."

"The slumbering patriotism of our people must be awakened and translated into concrete and efficient action. The awakening must be to a sense of rational and international duty and responsibility."

Question of League's Strength. The numerical strength of the Roosevelt Nonpartisan League is a debatable point. Friends of the Colonel insist that it represents a big movement that is growing and spreading in a most gratifying fashion. Others not so friendly to the Colonel and his political ambitions hold the league in no respect at all as a factor of political influence in the present situation.

Its membership includes such men as Henry B. Jay, manufacturer of Detroit; William A. Lord, former vice president of the Republican County Committee of Essex County, N. J.; Luke E. Wright, former Secretary of War; George von L. Meyer, former Secretary of the Navy; South Tarkington, Stewart Edwards; White of California; Charles J. Bonaparte, former Attorney-General, and Charles A. Houte, former United States District Attorney at St. Louis.

Oakes Candy Sale Fri. & Sat. 10c Lb. Choc. Bitter Sweets, Mol. Honey Nougat, Queen Coconut Dainties. 512 Locust st.

Butchers' Society Celebrates. More than 300 butchers attended the celebration and dinner of the St. Louis Butchers' Society, in honor of its sixtieth anniversary, last night at the Tower Grove Turner Hall, Grand avenue and Junata street. John Geviner Jr., president, delivered the address of welcome, and Conrad Paeben was the toastmaster. Probate Judge Holtcamp delivered an address and there was a musical program.

Watches and Diamonds on Credit. Lotis Bros. & Co., 24 fl., 208 N. Sixth st.

Miniature of Elephant "Jim" Free. Wrapped with each loaf of McKinley's Butter-Nut Bread is an animal. 16 different kinds and tent in collection, one an elephant in natural colors.

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MEN WHO KILLED MRS. BATES WANT CHANGE OF VENUE

Three Officers to Contend Feeling at Tucson, Ariz., Will Prevent a Fair Trial.

TUCSON, Ariz., May 12.—A change of venue will probably be obtained by Deputy Sheriff Joseph Wiley and Thomas Johns, and Policeman Ramon Salazar, whose trial for murder, based on the killing of Mrs. John Savage Bates, daughter of Julius S. Walsh of St. Louis, has been set for May 24.

The application for a change of venue will be made, on the ground that the feeling over the case here will prevent a fair trial. County Attorney Hillsinger has intimated that he will not oppose the application.

The recall election, called by opponents of Sheriff Forbes, and growing directly out of the Bates tragedy, has been set for May 22, and the recall campaign is held to be one reason why the three accused men might not get a fair trial in Tucson. A controversy is now going on as to the registration list to be used for this election.

Deputy Sheriff Wiley has been influential in local and State politics, and was Sergeant-at-Arms of the first State Legislature. He is a personal friend of Gov. Hunt, who recently visited him in jail here.

Mrs. Bates, at the time of the killing, was riding home with her husband, Capt. Bates, in their automobile. The Deputy and the policeman had set out to make an arrest in the case of a supposed robbery, which had been reported by telephone from a roadhouse, and driving behind the Bates car they shouted a command to halt. When the car did not stop, they fired, killing Mrs. Bates. All three fired, according to their admissions at the coroner's inquest, but Johns fired the first shot, which, according to Capt. Bates, was the fatal one.

Diamond Rings, Pay \$1 a Week.
Lottis Bros. & Co., 24 ft., 308 N. Sixth st.

Had 53 Stolen Neckties.

A man seen running from Nugent's store with a necktie protruding from his coat pocket yesterday afternoon was captured by a policeman and taken back to the store. The necktie was identified as having been stolen from stock. When searched the man was found to have 53 other ties, each valued at 65 cents. He said he was Charles Black-ett, 21 years old, a shoe worker, of 306 Market street.

Croak Says

The world loves a winner. And good clothes are a big factor in creating an atmosphere of success. The answer—get one of our

\$17
Spring suits, ready to wear. It has the style and quality to put you in the winning class. Fabric and color and fit guaranteed. Others \$15, \$19, \$21 and \$25.

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WITH CUTICURA SOAP BATHINGS

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Saturday Candy "Specials"
Toasted Marshmallows, the box, 10c
Caramels and Peanut Fudge, the lb., 25c
Cocoanut Squares, the lb., 25c
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Our Misses' and Girls' Shops Are Brimful of the Garments That Are Needed Now



New Frocks in Girlish Models for Misses

In our Misses' Shop you will find a host of beautiful Frocks for the girl graduate and modern Summer girl. The most fastidious young lady will not experience the least difficulty in selecting a dress to her liking with such a diversity of styles created by fashion artists and so many beautiful fabrics for choice, including net, lace and taffeta combinations, voile and Georgette; sizes 14 to 18 years. Prices **\$19.75 to \$59.50**

The Frocks at the Left

The Misses' Frocks shown at the left in the illustration is the "Sybil"—a bouffant effect copied from an imported model and developed of crepe Georgette and taffeta. This is a wonderful creation of exceptional beauty and becomingness.

The Models at the Right

The Misses' Frocks at the right is in the girlish straight-line effect and is lavishly trimmed with buttons. It is known as the "Gaby" model and white Georgette and crepe de chine are the materials used in its making.

Misses' Suits in the Newest Models and Materials

We are also showing a wonderful variety of Misses' Suits for Spring and general Summer wear. Among them are Suits of Tussah, Rajah silk and plain awning-stripe pongees, which cannot be duplicated at our prices of **\$29.50 to \$47.50**. There are also smart Suits of Palm Beach Cloth, "Silver Bloom," and linen, in plain colors and stylish stripes; sizes 14 to 18 years. Prices **\$7.50 to \$14.75**

What Has Been Decried Correct for Girls

An unsurpassed showing of Summer Frocks is being made in our Specialty Shop for girls of 6 to 16 years (intermediate). There are Dresses to meet every individual requirement and the prices range from **\$1.90 to \$22.50**

An Unusually Dainty Frocks

The Fancy Frocks shown in the sketch is in the smart coat effect, made of embroidered organdy, and daintily trimmed with Val. lace. Price **\$9.75**

The More Practical Frocks

We have Girls' Linen and Pique Dresses in a great many attractive coat, guimpe and high-waisted models, which may be had in pink, blue, rose, yellow, green and white; sizes 6 to 16 years (intermediate). Prices **\$3.90 to \$13.75**

Price Reductions on Girls' Shoe-top Suits

We are offering quite a good selection of Girls' Shoe-top Suits in the best Norfolk and flaring models introduced for this Spring; choice of navy, gray and checks in sizes 10 to 16 years (intermediate). Values up to **\$27.50**. Special now at **\$7.50 to \$22.50**

Girls' Spring Coats Have Been Radically Reduced

Great reductions have been made in the prices of Girls' Spring Coats, enabling you to buy now at a great saving. The materials are silk, serge, golfine, covert cloth and velour check. They are all this season's models, in sizes 6 to 16 years (intermediate).

Coats valued up to **\$7.50** are now **\$3.90**
Coats valued up to **\$9.75** are now **\$6.90**
Coats valued up to **\$14.75** are now **\$8.50**
Girls' Coats valued up to **\$29.50** are now offered at **\$22.50**

Girls' Charming Hats

In our Millinery Shop, devoted exclusively to Headgear for Children, we are showing a group of cleverly designed White Hats for wear with Summer frocks. They are in the poke and Mushroom styles, with dainty trimmings of flowers and ribbon in the pastel shades. Prices **\$5 to \$10**

A New Line of Wash Hats

A new line of handsome Wee Rosebud Wash Hats—especially pretty when worn with smocked dresses. They are made of a good quality of pique, hand-embroidered in dainty colors. Prices range from **\$1.50 to \$3.50**. Children's Washable Pique Hats with detachable crowns are priced at **50c to \$1.50**. Third Floor.

SOROSIS SHOES

Are Best for Children

You eliminate every risk when you buy Sorosis Shoes for your children. Parents should familiarize themselves with the merits of this footwear and know that many of the foot-troubles of maturity may be prevented by providing Sorosis Shoes in childhood.

We can furnish these shoes of kid, patent leather with kid or cloth tops, gum-metal calf, tan calf and canvas.

Sizes 5 to 8, **\$2.00 and \$2.50**
Sizes 8½ to 11, **\$2.50 and \$3.00**
Sizes 11½ to 2, **\$3.00 and \$3.50**
Sizes 2½ to 6, **\$3.50 to \$6.00**
Second Floor.

Nearly All Our New Spring Suits for Men Have Been Marked Down

Because of our determination to specialize on Men's and Young Men's Suits at the three prices noted below, we have gone through our entire stock of up-to-the-minute, new, Spring garments and lowered the prices on every suit—with the exception of a few of especially high grade.

This means that you can buy now, a suit of Vandervoort quality at a price much lower than you would ordinarily pay.

This Stock Includes

- Many different styles for choice
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- The leading patterns, colors and shades
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Every one of these garments is splendidly tailored and finished and you will find no better values at

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Tropical Weight Suits for Hot Weather Wear

In addition to the above, we offer you choice from an exceptional stock of Hot Weather Suits, made from such materials as flannels, "Breezeweeve," "Sunlight," "Summer Sense," "True Merit," "Cool Cloth," Palm Beach cloth, Tropical Worsteds, crash and other similar feather-weight materials.

Many New Mohair and Silk Suits—All Sizes—at **\$12.50 and \$15**
Second Floor.

All of the latest models are represented, including the new "pinch-back," which is a sack coat with a half belt and which is draped tightly at the waist. This model is particularly desirable for young men and youths. Prices **\$5.50 to \$15**

Boys' Clothing and Furnishings of Latest Design



Our Boys' Specialty Shop can supply everything your boy may need in the way of Suits, Coats, Hats and Furnishings. The models are the very latest, the materials dependable and the prices are most reasonable.

You can make selections here from all-inclusive stocks and be assured of the most courteous attention.

Norfolk Suits at \$6.75

Boys' Norfolk Suits of fancy mixtures and navy blue serge, with one pair of knickerbockers. The coats are made in the new "pinch-back" style and have stitched belt and patch pockets; sizes 7 to 18 years. **\$6.75**

Extra Knickerbockers to match, **\$1.75**

Other Norfolks at \$5.75

Boys' Norfolk Suits of fancy mixtures, navy blue serge and Scotch chevrons in plain and fancy stripes and serviceable colors; sizes 7 to 18 years; one pair of knickerbockers. Price **\$5.75**

Extra Knickerbockers to match, **\$1.75**

"S.V.B." Special at \$3.95

Boys' S.V.B. Special Norfolk Suits of fancy mixtures. These have coats with side or box pleats and "pinch-back" effect. They have one pair of knickerbockers, lined and taped throughout; sizes 7 to 18. Special at **\$3.95**

Extra Knickerbockers to match, **\$1.00**

A Lot of Boys' Wash Suits at \$1.65

A small line of Boys' and Little Fellows' Wash Suits, made from materials that will give the best of service. They are in plain and fancy trimmed styles in various colors and combinations and have both high and low necks; sizes 2½ to 8 years. Special at **\$1.65**

Newest Spring Hats for Boys and Youths

Second Floor.

A Wonderful Collection of Flowers for "Mothers' Day"—Sunday

Our Floral Shop is amply prepared for "Mothers' Day"—Sunday, May 14th—with a large collection of the choicest Cut Flowers and Plants obtainable, thus enabling you to send an appropriate remembrance to the dearest mother that ever lived—yours.

Even if your mother lives in some far distant city, prompt delivery can be made within a few hours because of our association with over 300 reliable flower stores in the leading cities of the United States and Canada.

If you have lost your mother, wear a white flower in her honor. The motto for "Mothers' Day" is—

"For mothers living, flowers bright"

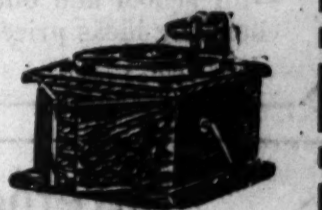
"For mothers' memory, flowers white."



Your Vacation and a Victrola

The plans for your Summer vacation are incomplete if they do not provide for music.

A Victrola affords unlimited enjoyment and we have models that are especially adapted for vacation use, the one illustrated being of a size that is easily carried—has a full, clear tone.



Victrola VI, \$25

Convenient Terms of Payment
May Be Arranged on Both Victrolas and Victor Records
Sixth Floor

"Specials" in Vandervoort's Downstairs Store

The merchandise for our Downstairs Store is selected with the same care as that for our other departments, but it is of the inexpensive sort—though very dependable. Make it a point to stroll through here tomorrow.

A Sale of Men's Summer Underwear 26c

A special purchase of 540 Men's Two-piece Nainsook Athletic-style Undergarments at a great price concession. The material from which they are made is of very good grade, the drawers are knee length and the shirts are in coat style. Remarkable values at our sale price of **26c**

We also have a good quantity of Men's Union Suits to offer at the very special price of **59c**

380 Suits of Men's Pyjamas, all clean and made of serviceable material, at the very low **69c** price of

Millinery Reduced

In our Downstairs Store tomorrow there will be 2 large tables filled with Trimmed Hats, valued up to **\$5**. They are all this season's models, including many colors and black. For quick disposal they have been reduced to **\$1.65**

New Trimmed Hats, \$3.75

At this special price there is a constantly changing array of Millinery, which has become a pleasing feature of our Downstairs Store. At this very modest price women find it possible to have a hat for every occasion. **\$3.75**

Women's Silk Suits Women's Cloth Suits \$8.95

A lot of lovely Spring Suits for women, including the desirable black, navy, Belgian and tan in silks, serges and combinations. These are mostly \$15 and \$20 values—high-class suits such as you would expect to find only in Vandervoort's Downstairs Store. Sizes 14, 16 and 18 years for misses and 34 to 48 bust for women.

Dotted Swiss Negligees, \$1.00

Fine white Negligees in several new styles—roomy, of good length and well made. Would be a good value at **\$1.50**. Choice at **\$1.00**

Jap Silk Waists, \$1.95

A new "Betty Boys" model has just been received. It is made of a very good weight of Jap silk, has sailor collar and cuffs with dainty colored border and finished with large pearl buttons. **\$1.95**

New Chinchilla Coats, \$10

Large gray checks on white, trimmed with black velvet, especially suitable for motoring, outing and yachting—lovely for wear over Summer frocks.

Ruffled Voile Waists, \$1.00

Good quality White Voile Waists in the new ruffle effect, having a touch of color and lace edge on collar, cuffs and ruffles, long sleeves, cluster pin tucks in front and back and pearl buttons. **\$1.00**



LOOK UP THESE FACTS

For Your Own Comparison
Where can you select with the confidence that it's a one price shop?

You can't pay more if you want too.
Where can you secure choice of over a thousand different fabrics?

Where can you get a PERFECT tailored-to-your-measure suit Top coat, Raincoat or Silk lined Full Dress, at no higher, always.

Always Look Up These Facts Then See Me.

\$20

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422 N. 6th
Opposite
Columbia
Theater

ST. LOUISANS AT BEATRICE HEAR OF TRADE OPPORTUNITIES

Sales Managers Are Taken on Trip Over Nebraska City, and Are Guests at Smoker.

BEATRICE, Neb., May 12.—Two hundred business and professional men welcomed the St. Louis sales managers to Beatrice yesterday and told the visitors of the wonderful trade opportunities awaiting them in this city and vicinity. A reception and smoker was given for the sales managers at the Commercial Club rooms last evening.

The visitors were met at the depot on their arrival here at 5:30 p. m. and taken in automobiles to the various business houses on which they wished to call. After dinner they were taken for a ride about the city. Mayor Anderson and President Heavens of the Commercial Club officially welcomed the sales managers at the smoker. R. E. Lee, Ivan Osborn and Earl D. Eddy responded for the visitors. They told of the great surprise Nebraska had been to the Missourians and of the evidence of prosperity everywhere. "From what I have seen, every man and woman in the State must own an automobile," said Eddy.

Railway Men End Meeting.
NEW ORLEANS, La., May 12.—The Railway Development Association at the closing session of its national convention here today selected Louisville, Ky., for its next annual meeting. Donald C. Wooty of St. Louis was chosen secretary treasurer.

CHICAGO "SHAVETERIA" OPENS

CHICAGO, May 12.—The "Shaveteria" opened yesterday and no longer will the services of a barber be imperative.

In the shop are little compartments, each with all the accessories for a shave. You just shave yourself in your own way, put your collar back on, pay a dime for the use of the materials and leave without tipping the barber or the boy with the brush.

\$130,000 INTEREST ON SHOE COMPANY JUDGMENT REFUSED

Application of Cincinnati Firm Against Hamilton - Brown Concern Rejected.

Judge Dyer in the United States District Court this morning overruled a motion of Woolf Bros. & Co., shoe manufacturers of Cincinnati, for a judgment for interest amounting to more than \$130,000 against the Hamilton-Brown shoe Co. The Cincinnati concern asked for interest at 6 per cent on a judgment for \$446,311.55 obtained in Judge Dyer's court in 1911 against the St. Louis firm.

The litigation grew out of a trademark controversy. Woolf Bros. & Co. had been selling a brand of shoes known as "American Girl" and the Hamilton-Brown company put out shoes known as "American Lady." This, the Cincinnati concern alleged, was a trademark infringement and a special master appointed by Judge Dyer found in its favor and an order was made accordingly. The judgment was sustained May 1 by a decision of the United States Supreme Court.

The Supreme Court mandate said nothing about interest. Woolf Bros. & Co. alleged that this was an oversight and that it was entitled to 6 per cent from the time the original judgment was given.

GERMAN SERGEANT AND TWO MEN CAPTURE AN ENTIRE COMPANY

French Captain, Surprised in Bomb-Proof, Surrenders Troop on Threat of Death.

BERLIN, May 12.—Sergeant Utecht of the Thirty-ninth Reserve Infantry Regiment, in the early fighting around Verdun, made an entire French company prisoner, according to advice received here. He was backed in his undertaking only by two Corporals.

Utecht was sent out on the second day of the Verdun battle with a patrol to locate the positions of the French troops, who had been driven several miles back from their original positions and were endeavoring to form a new line in the woods north of Douaumont. Wandering through the woods in the darkness, Utecht spied a light and heard voices proceeding from a bomb-proof and determined with his two followers to attempt to surprise them and make them prisoners.

While the two Corporals stood ready with hand grenades and rifles, Utecht sprang down into the bomb-proof and seized the first surprised French officer by the arms. He proved to be a Captain of Infantry.

Utecht ordered the Captain, under threat of shooting him, to send the company an order to surrender. The Captain actually sent the order to the company to "fall in without arms in the clearing near the bomb-proof for surrender, as we are surrounded." Utecht, holding the Captain and Lieutenant as hostages at the muzzle of his revolver, was able to lead the entire company back to the battalion before the Frenchmen discovered that they had been deceived. He received for his deed the Iron Cross, first class.

Nothing but Straws.
Your old friend—Sam Well—now at n. w. cor. Seventh and Olive streets.

U. S. WILL INSIST BRITAIN PASS HOSPITAL SUPPLIES

Prepares Protest Against Formal Refusal to Admit Red Cross Shipments to Germany.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—The American Government is preparing a protest to Great Britain against its policy of refusing to allow the shipment of hospital supplies by the American Red Cross to Germany and her allies. Secretary Lansing has received a letter today from former President Taft, chairman of the Central Committee of the Red Cross, urging such action, and it was learned that the matter would be taken up with the British Government in the near future.

Mr. Taft's letter revealed for the first time that Great Britain has formally declined to issue permits for shipments of supplies to the central Powers except when intended for American hospital units. This exception, Mr. Taft wrote, was worthless, because, on account of lack of funds, the Red Cross has maintained no units in the belligerent countries since last October.

The Red Cross considers the attitude of the British Government to be in violation of the Geneva convention, to which the United States and all of the present belligerents are signatories, and holds that the American Government has the right to insist upon observance of the treaty.

Any Person Who Has
Been a consistent user of McKinney's Butter-Nut Bread or Blue Ribbon, will tell you that they never were so well satisfied before they became daily eaters of McKinney's Bread.

Tries to Kill Self with Gas.
William Heberer, 45 years old, of 4286 Lee avenue, tried to kill himself this morning in the bathroom by turning on the gas. His wife, Mrs. Ellen Heberer, found him there at 7:30 o'clock as he was lapsing into unconsciousness. She called the police and he was sent to the city hospital. He said family trouble was the cause.

Wedding and Graduation Gifts—diamonds, watches, jewelry, monthly payments. Little Box & Co., 24 N. 3rd St.

Auto Plant Pay Increase Effective.
TOLEDO, O., May 12.—The 30-per-cent increase in wages and the eight-hour day schedule at the plant of the Willow-Overland Co. became effective yesterday. Nearly 18,000 factory employees are affected and \$25,000 is added to the weekly payroll.

Get an ELGIN ON EASY CREDIT TERMS

No red tape. No interest. We have been doing it for 35 years. You get the Watch at once.

A reliable Watch (all grades) sold by a reliable concern.

LADIES' BRACELET WATCHES. DIAMONDS and JEWELRY. On the same easy terms.

PLAIN FIGURE PRICES. Just a little cash when you buy and just a little each week or month is the ELGIN plan.

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PROFIT SHARING SALE

Double The Business in MAY

A Clothing Sale That's Making Good

This Was Indeed Fortunate for Our Men Patrons

The Purchase of the Surplus Stock of

CHAS. D. JAFFEE & CO.

of New York.

Recognized as one of the best manufacturers of men's and young men's clothing. New, snappy, up-to-the-minute clothing that has just arrived awaits you here tomorrow.

All the new styles, including the popular Sport, Pinch-Back, Two-Button Sack Coat—silk linings, handmade button holes, hand-felled collars, every little point which you would look for in Suits of the best make.

In all-wool worsteds, cassimeres, serges, homespun, and every wanted fabric. Instead of pricing these Suits as we should—at \$15, \$18 and \$20—we have added them to our Style Shop clothes, and will sell the entire lot tomorrow at



Our "Byron Brand" Clothes

We pride ourselves upon this line of clothes, and our continuous effort and aim is to make them better and better if possible, even with the high prices of woolsens, with the increased cost of labor, even the buttons on the garments have advanced, yet we continue to sell these wonderful garments at this special price, \$17.50.



A Profit-Sharing Purchase at a Very Opportune Time

Porto Rican Hats

In all the Panama shapes; all sizes,

\$1.65

Genuine Formosa and Toya Panamas, the result of a manufacturer's over-production.....

\$2.98

Genuine Italian Leghorns.....

\$1.85

(Third Floor.)

New Hats For the Little Folks

Just received another shipment of Lingerie, Pique and Straw Hats.

Children's White Washable Pique Hats with large ribbon bow; special at.....

\$1.00

Children's White Lingerie Lace and Ribbon Trimmed Hats; ages 1 to 4 years.....

75c

An assortment of Children's Trimmed Straw Hats, white or colored; \$1.35 to \$1.75 values.....

\$1.00

Special Sale of Children's White Dresses

White Dresses, made with hand-smocked waist, strap back; 1 and 2 years.....

\$1.75

Babies' Empire Waist Dresses; dainty colored hand-feather bone stitching; 1 and 2 years.....

\$1.50

(Fourth Floor.)

Middy Blouses

At \$1.00—Large assortment to select from—regulation styles, all white or white with colored collars; embroidered emblems on sleeves; High School middies of all white, initials of school embroidered in school colors on arm band. Many novelty styles, including colored striped, belted, smocked and button front middies.....

89c

At \$1.00—New Sport Blouses of green and white or pink and white striped drill; large sailor collar and three-quarter sleeves; other styles of all white, or white with red or navy collars.....

\$1.00

Blouses of green and white or pink and white striped sailboat; solid color; collar, cuffs, pocket and belt of pink or green piped in white; three-quarter sleeves.....

\$1.50

\$2.00 to \$3.00

In crisp, new wash fabrics, organdy or voile. Each has some dainty feature—a new collar, a frill, a novel closing, or cuffs that are different.....

\$1.68

(Fourth Floor.)

Sale of Wash Skirts

Just received, from a large manufacturer, a shipment of new Wash Skirts for Summer wear.

In the lot you will find piques, gabardines, waffle cloth, rice cloth, Palm Beach skirts, with detachable belts, large pearl button trimmed, slash and patch pockets, full circular skirts, in the wanted styles for Summer wear; many of the popular sport styles in the awning stripes; all sizes including extra sizes, from

\$1.00 to \$4.95

(Second Floor.)

3 Great Lots of \$1.00

Men's Shirts 79c

On Sale Here Tomorrow at

Soft Cuff Negligee Shirts, Outing Shirts, Starched Cuff Negligee Shirts.

Such values as we could not duplicate were we to buy them over again, and most fortunate for you that we placed our orders so far in advance at the old low prices.

Lot 1—In this sale are Sport Shirts with half sleeves, of fine white Oxford, blazer striped pongsos and fancy collar styles.

Lot 2—Starched Cuff Shirts of fine woven madras and satin-striped fancy madras.

Lot 3—A most wonderful lot of Soft Cuff Shirts of fine plain and carded repps, Doucetines, Oxford, plain and fancy mercerized materials, also fine plain and mercerized poplins. Sizes 14 to 17.

You'll need plenty of changes of Shirts for the hot weather, so why not take advantage of this low price!

79c Each 4 for \$3.00

(Main Floor.)

White Sport and Tailored Hats



White Hats predominate in popularity, and naturally you'll come to "Headquarters" for your needs, as by far the most extensive assortment and the greatest values procurable will be found at Sonnenfeld's.

White Panamas, 95c to \$5

White Peanits, \$1.95 to \$2.45

White Felt Crushers, 50c

Other White Sport Hats, \$5 to \$10

White Trimmed Tailored Styles, \$5, \$7.50 and \$10

We display an immense and extremely attractive array, all fetchingly trimmed, and each one different. Featured are White Hemes, Milano and Milano Hemes, and models of Georgette and French Crepe, and of Organdy.

Children's Midsummer Hats

Special Saturday values in White Wash Hats of pique, linen, etc., 69c to \$1.45.

There Are Only 65 Suits—38 Coats

Were \$8 and \$10

\$5.00

Two Hours' Sale, 10 to 12 A. M.

Materials are poplins, gabardines and checks, mostly all sizes. Special at \$5.00.

(Basement.)



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can be overcome by correct lenses, properly fitted. When your eyes need attention, consult our skilled optometrists. Our prominence in the optical field is the direct result of long years of competent, careful and painstaking services.

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Boston Store
BROADWAY & FRANKLIN
Store Open Until 7 P. M.

\$10 Men's Suits

\$3.95

Just received a new lot from the East; better values than ever; in this lot are genuine 3-piece suits, dark and light wool cloth, Saturday.

\$3.95

DRESS SHIRTS

Men's Dress Shirts; a regular size shirt; neck and cuffs; these are slightly soiled; extra special.

25c

Men's & Women's \$3.00 Shoes

Men's and Women's High and Low Shoes, in the latest styles available. These are broken lots from manufacturers at 50 per cent off; special.

\$1.48

LACE CURTAINS

78c value Nottingham sample lace curtains; one of each pattern; extra good quality; in Basement, a pair.

\$1.50

All-Silk Gloves

16-button length, Silk Gloves; black and white; special.

Silk Remnants

\$1.50 remnants taffetas, messalines, poplins, foulards, crepe de chine; 1 to 10 yard lengths, in Basement.

\$2.50 WAISTS, 98c

There will be only one way in which to know that these are \$2.50 values, and that is by coming to our store Saturday and see them; a material.

35c MATTING

Good quality patterns through to the back, closely woven; a large selection of patterns; special, yard.

WRINGERS

98c wringers, iron frame; good rubber rolls; special.

Dried Fruit Sale

APPLES, Prunes, Apricots, Peaches and Raisins.

(Grocery Dept., Basement.)

ELMORE BOSTWICK WRITES OF PART IN VERDUN FIGHTING

Librarian's Son With French Ambulance Corps, Describes Fierce Battling There.

HAD NARROW ESCAPES

Saw Shell Kill Six Men in Street, and Was Under Fire Constantly.

Elmore McNeill Bostwick, 24-year-old son of the Public Librarian of St. Louis, who quit his studies at Yale last Christmas to drive an ambulance in France, has written an interesting letter describing how he was under constant fire for two weeks "in the center of the greatest battle in the history of the world." Bostwick apparently refers to the battle at Verdun.

The most shocking things he had ever seen, Bostwick wrote, were the killing of six men and two horses by a shell which burst in the street immediately in front of him, and the bringing down of two German aviators by French fire. "One piece of the shell which broke in front of us (the one that killed six men) hit our machine, tearing the tire to pieces and taking a piece out of our mud guard," Bostwick wrote.

Popular at Yale. With Bostwick in France is Donald C. Armour of Evanston, Ill., a member of the Chicago meat packing family, who recently was voted the "handsomest man" in Yale. Bostwick himself was a senior at Yale, and was considered one of the most prominent men in his class. He was chairman of the Sophomore Committee, the chief office of the second year, and of the Junior Promenade Committee, the chief distinction of a college course. He also was leader of the University Glee Club, and was a member of Wolf's Head, a senior society.

Bostwick, in his letter, expresses keen delight in being in places of danger which are usually reserved to themselves by the French ambulance drivers. The letter, written to classmates at Yale, a copy of which has been received by his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Bostwick of 68 Vandeventer place, follows:

"We are at present en repos in a little town about 30 kilometers from the line. Our cars are in pretty bad condition and we probably will stay here for two weeks getting fixed up."

"As I have time this morning, I will give you a general idea of what we have been doing for the past month. "After my arrival on the boat I went directly to Paris and stayed at the Hotel du Tivoli. I stayed in Paris for five or six days getting my uniform and papers and then received orders to go to a small town (I can't tell you the name) within six miles of the center of the greatest battle I believe in the history of the world (perhaps Verdun)."

"I took the train from the Gare du Nord the next morning and started out for a town celebrated for its Jass and Jellies (perhaps Bar-le-Duc). We went right through the country which was the scene of the Battle of the Marne, which was very interesting. We passed through villages in which not a single house was standing, and the whole route was lined with old trenches, barbed wire and graves."

"Arriving at our destination we found the place swarming with soldiers and unspeakably dirty. We reported at headquarters and about 5 o'clock in the afternoon started out in a camion, the name applied to French army motor trucks, to cover the last 40 miles of our trip."

"It was a beautiful day and the country was fine, a rolling country built on a large scale and highly cultivated. The road was crowded with troops of infantry, cavalry, big guns, ammunition wagons, trucks, and automobiles of all descriptions."

"There were also a great many aeroplanes; I counted 22 in the air at one time. All of the villages after the first few miles were filthy and inhabited solely by soldiers. The driver of our machine was very stupid and lost his way several times and the machine was very slow, so at 6 o'clock we were still far away from our destination."

First Taste of Battle. "Suddenly as we came over the shoulder of a hill, we heard a faint rumbling. It was our first material evidence of a battle and I can tell you it made us feel pretty queer as we were going right into it."

"From that minute on for two weeks the sound of guns never stopped for as long as 10 seconds. In 20 minutes the rumble had increased to a dull roar and far off on the horizon we could see the French captive balloons which mark the line of trenches, huge clumsy looking bags about the shape of a sausage."

"As it grew dark the horizon was illuminated by a weird whitish light which would glow brilliantly for half a minute and then almost die out and appear again. After a few minutes of very bad French I learned from the driver that the light was made by 'star shells,' bombs which are sent up from the trenches every few minutes to light things up and thus avoid an unexpected attack."

"By this time we were getting very well into the center of things. On the side of a hill in front of us a line of French 'three hundred and fifties,' huge mortars having a range of about 10 or 12 miles with a shell almost as tall as a man, were making a hideous racket. "The sound of a shell going away from you is the most 'powerful' sound I have ever heard. The sound is something like an express train and something like a rocket with a ringing metallic sound added."

"When the shell is coming toward you the sound is very much the same only the metallic sound is displaced by a whistling sound."

"It was very pleasant to get past."

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Novelty Silk Hose

Pure Silk Hose, attractive stripes and clockings, in a wide range of colors—special at..... **77c**

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Taffeta Petticoats

Regular \$2.65 Petticoats in plain and changeable colors—with deep umbrella flounces—special at..... **\$1.95**

Tremendous Sale of 5000 Waists

A remarkable special purchase of nearly 5000 New Waists effected by our buyer in New York and shipped by express has just arrived. Great price concessions were obtained because we agreed to take such a great quantity and we have added many of our regular Waists at special figures to make this a really "tremendous" sale. You can choose from 5000 Waists tomorrow in styles typical of the Summer season, at prices that mean a great saving to you.

at **\$1.49**

There are voiles and organdies, China silks, organdies and pongees, in an unusual variety of color and trimming ideas.



at **\$1.95**

There are voiles, Georgettes, China silks, organdies and pongees, in an unusual variety of color and trimming ideas.



at **\$2.95**

There are Georgettes, trimmed in laces and frills, and voiles and organdies in pretty lace and embroidery effects.

at **\$3.65**

There is a very special silk crepe with beautiful frills and in the following colors: Lavender, rose, white, flesh and gray.

at **\$5**

There are Georgettes with frills and serrander stripes, beautiful combinations of lace and Georgette, and voiles in scores of styles.



Silk Crepe, \$3.65 Georgette, \$2.95 Voile, \$1.49 Voile, \$1.95 Voile, \$1.49 China Silk, \$1.95 Georgette, \$5 Georgette, \$5 Georgette, \$2.95

Sale of Silk Skirts

Regular \$10 and \$12.75 Silk Skirts } **\$7.50**

All the newest Spring models in the pannel, side and cascade drape and plain tailored effects—all very full flaring—are included in this assortment. There are black taffetas, blue and black radium silks, silk chuddeh, stripes and novelties in all the new colors—23 to 32 waistband—on sale at.....



Jersey Silk Skirts

A special purchase of beautiful Jersey Silk Skirts is ready for tomorrow's selling. Full gathered models in tan, rose, green and white, in 23 to 32 waistbands, for..... **\$10**

New Wash Skirts—\$1.75 to \$10.95

The honeycomb and basket weave are in favor for Summer. We have a wonderful assortment of models in plain and novelty gabardines, piques, golf cords, linens and Ottomans. In Our Enlarged Skirt Department Now on the Fourth Floor.

Strap Pumps

Every desired style and leather in Summer Pumps now await your inspection at Kline's.

As Pictured



\$3.50

Continued Saturday, Our

Sale of Boots and Pumps

\$5 White Kid Lace Boots..... **\$3.85**

Colonial Pumps

In gray, champagne, white, bronze, patent and glazed kid. Special at..... **\$3.85**

Sale of Suits

Silk and Cloth Suits

that were up to \$30

An assortment of Silk and Cloth Suits that includes all the latest Spring styles and fabrics—reduced to.

\$16.95

Silk Dresses Reduced

About 75 Dresses

that were up to \$16.50

Just 75 of these Dresses in crepe de chine and plain striped and checked taffetas, in all shades and in all sizes—at.....

\$5

Children's Apparel Sacrificed

Our Children's Department—on the Second Floor—will be literally teeming with bargains Saturday, in the biggest sale of Children's Apparel we have held this season.



Girls' Coats up to \$14.95

4 to 14 Years.

Included are attractive models in silk poplins, taffetas, serges, checks and mixtures, and they will be sold tomorrow, while they last, at.....

\$3.95

Girls' Silk Dresses up to \$19.95

As Pictured, 10 to 16 Years.

This includes every Girls' Silk Dress in the house—and they are rare bargains. Scores of pleasing styles in various trimming and color ideas, at.....

\$9.75

Girls' Serge Skirts up to \$2.95

8 to 14 Years.

A big assortment of Girls' Serge Skirts in navy blues and checks, have been reduced to.....

95c

Girls' Colored Dresses up to \$7.50

Just 70 Dresses—slightly muscled—in this lot. There are white and colored linens and white piques, in many pretty styles, for.....

\$3.95

Girls' Wash Dresses up to \$1.45

Striped and plaid gingham, in long waisted effects, at.....

95c

Girls' Wash Dresses up to \$1

Striped and Plaid Gingham Dresses with long waisted and middy effects, at.....

65c

A Complete Showing of Net and Lingerie Dresses for Graduation.

A Sale of New Millinery

Featuring many entirely new models in white and pink worth double the price.

\$5

Your money will go much further than usual here tomorrow. At \$5 we are offering hats that are so far in advance of the regular hats at this price that there is no comparison. They are all new Summer models, in many beautiful shapes in pink and white, and they are extraordinary hats at \$5.

Colored and Black Trimmed Hats That Were Up to \$8.50

\$1.95

500 Shapes

White Milan Henna, White Henna, Black Lingerie Hats, and high colors, in all shapes for

\$1

Second Floor.

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these big guns, as the noise, even when you held your ears, was actually

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This wing tip Oxford is making a big hit with the men of St. Louis, and proving one of our most popular \$5 Spring styles. Made of dark tan or black calf.

Our Spring assortment of "Swope's Specials" embraces staple styles for older men, as well as models suitable for those who are more youthful. You'll also find tan and black Oxfords made on English lasts, and with rubber soles.

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Shoe Co.
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"1900" WATER-POWER WASHING MACHINES CAN BE DEPENDED UPON!

**\$16.00**

This Machine will do ALL your washing—even lace curtains, as well as the coarsest pieces—perfectly. Turn the faucet and the water does the work.

The "1900" is an inexpensive Water-Power Washer that is mechanically perfect. Simple, but substantial construction; no bearings or complicated parts to get out of order, and water-tight. Forces water through fabric of clothes; no dasher or parts to wear or tear the finest garment.

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June	17	\$1.00
June	24	\$1.00
July	1	\$1.00
July	8	\$1.00
July	15	\$1.00
July	22	\$1.00
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Aug.	19	\$1.00

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I have only been rid of them for the last three days.

"After breakfast just before we started out I was treated to my first air attack. Eight German aeroplanes came over the town and attempted to destroy the military headquarters. As we were right next door to them it was rather disturbing. An air attack is the most nerve-racking thing in the world.

"You see these little things, looking for all the world like hornets, apparently exactly over your head. You hear a whistling sound, lie on the ground flat on your face and wait for the explosion which comes about three seconds after you first hear the bomb coming. I can tell you, you do a lot of thinking in those three seconds, and each time you feel as though the bomb was going to hit you right in the small of the back.

"Dropped 16 Bombs. "They dropped 16 bombs that morning, but no one was hurt, though one dropped within 50 feet of where I was lying. By the way, please understand that it was merely by rare good luck that we, a foreign section, were allowed to cover such a dangerous section for two weeks. It is absolutely certain that we won't ever have a chance to do anything like this again, as it is a matter of pride with the French to put their own sections in the most dangerous places. From now on our work will probably be very much too safe.

"My first day I can give as a fair sample of each day that we spent at this base. After the air attack we started out and were on the road until 3 the next morning. We went to the trenches twice and took wounded from towns under bombardment six times. It is surprising how quickly you become adapted to shell fire.

"For the first hour or so you keep figuring out your chances of being hit in the particular place where you are and after that you become perfectly fatalistic.

Shots Kill Six Men. "In the first town we helped evacuate in the morning, a shell burst in the street immediately in front of us, killing six men and two horses. This sight and that of two German aviators who were brought down in their machines by French fire are the most shocking things I have ever seen.

"One piece of the shell which broke in front of us hit our machine, tearing the tire to pieces and taking a piece out of our mud guard. We had to stop for 15 minutes and get fixed up, which wasn't at all pleasant, as we stopped right in the place where the men had been killed. The mutilation to both men and horses was absolutely unappealing.

"Well, to make a long story short, we had two weeks of this kind of thing. It was the most wonderful experience I have ever had in my life, particularly as you are actually saving at least 10 lives a day.

Hospital in Ruins. "For instance, we came back to a hospital in a bombarded town for the third time and found it in ruins. Almost all the wounded who had not been already taken out by us—and there were about 40 of them—were killed. If we had had six more men drive machines they would have all been saved.

"Some of the men in the section finally broke down under the strain, and we had to be moved in. One fellow, Ganut, managed to pick up cerebro spinal meningitis and died three days later. He was a fine man, and it was very sad.

"The work agreed with me. I have gained 10 pounds since I have been over here and am in fine condition. We are comfortably and cleanly fixed here in a beautiful place belonging to Mr. Fanhard, the automobile man. I won't be in a dangerous position again all the time I am over here."

RAILROAD PRESIDENT DIES

CHICAGO, May 12.—Word was received here early today of the death last night of William A. Gardner, president of the Chicago & Northwestern Railroad, at his summer home at Osterville, Mass. He had been in poor health for some time and had gone East for rest and treatment.

Gardner, who was about 65 years old, was born at Gardner, Ill. He began his railroad career with the Chicago & Alton and went with the Northwestern in 1873 in the train dispatchers' department. He was chosen president of the Chicago & Northwestern about five years ago.

FATHER AND SON IN A FIGHT

Parent Donn Young Man's Silk Shirt.

When Charles Smith Jr., 23 years old, of 2610 Geyer avenue, returned home from work last night he found his father, Charles Smith Sr., 51 years old, wearing his silk shirt. When the younger Smith recognized the garment as one he had recently purchased the men quarreled and exchanged blows.

Smith Jr. hit Smith Sr. on the leg with a club and Smith Sr. hit Smith Jr. on the head with an earthen jar. The son was taken to the city hospital with a scalp wound and the father was arrested.

It's the Quality That makes customers and holds them for McKinney's Butter-Nut Bread or Blue Ribbon. Superior breads for those who have tried ordinary bread.

Motor Boats to Maneuver.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., May 12.—A call for all motor boat owners to co-operate with the Government in a series of war maneuvers to be held off San Diego harbor between Aug. 15 and Nov. 12, was issued yesterday by commander Ward Winchell, U. S. N., port commandant.

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Cecilia Gamache 4107 Missouri
Frank A. Harris 4440 Delmar
Mrs. Christina Rock 2114 N. Grand
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Ruth Bremer 3800
Monroe Simmons 451 Cottage
Margaret M. Young 4204 West Belle
Edmond Smith 2214 Lorton
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Gold Wedding Rings, \$5 to \$25.
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A MONTH OF GREATER VALUES

MAY 1910 MAY 1916

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Every item in this announcement points the way to a golden saving opportunity. We are inaugurating our seventh year of constant progress with a month of decisive demonstrations of this store's underselling ability. Every floor and all departments are crowded with values that are impossible to duplicate. Thousands upon thousands of new Spring Suits and Extra Trousers are here for rapid choosing. This great selling event is our means of thanking the public for their loyal support—and every garment that goes out of here Saturday is either sure to make a new friend or retain an old one for this growing establishment.

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\$10 SPRING SUITS for Men and Young Men \$5.50

If you want an inexpensive Suit, one that is neat in appearance and will give lasting service—this is your opportunity. Choose from scores of newest styles—all sizes—priced for the inauguration of our 7th year, at.....

\$12.50 SPRING SUITS for Men and Young Men \$7.00

See how well these Suits are made—note the splendid quality fabrics used and the perfect fit of these garments—made of splendid Scotchies, cassimeres and worsteds—newest styles—priced for the inauguration of our 7th year at.....

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There's a great assortment of dressy, up-to-the-minute Suits to choose from in this lot. Perfectly tailored of durable Scotchies, cassimeres and worsteds—newest colors—priced for the inauguration of our 7th year, at.....

\$18 SPRING SUITS for Men and Young Men \$10.00

These values will astound you. Pure wool Suits that combine the season's newest fashion features—perfectly tailored—all the wanted colors and patterns—all sizes, including stouts and slims—priced for the inauguration of our 7th year at.....

\$20 SPRING SUITS for Men and Young Men \$13.00

Just imagine being able to secure hand-tailored, pure wool fashionable Suits for \$13—that is just what you can do here tomorrow—a wealth of the season's latest pattern-effects—all sizes—priced for the inauguration of our 7th year at.....

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\$12 All-Wool Blue SERGE SUITS \$7.00	\$18 All-Wool Gray Serge Suits \$10.00	\$20 All-Wool Blue Serge Suits \$13.50
All sizes for men and young men—newest styles—priced in this sale at.....	Beautiful shade of dark gray—carefully made—all sizes—priced in this sale at.....	Hand-tailored Suits—every wanted style—all sizes—priced in this sale at.....
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**\$2 Spring Pants \$1.00**

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Hundreds upon hundreds of Pants in this lot. Choose from every conceivable color—made of superior quality fabrics—priced for the inauguration of our 7th year, at.....

\$5.00 New Spring Pants \$3.00

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\$6.50 New Spring Pants \$4.00

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\$3.50 Boys' Norfolk Suits . \$1.90
\$5.50 Boys' Norfolk Suits . \$2.90
\$6.50 Boys' Norfolk Suits . \$3.90
\$8.00 Boys' Norfolk Suits . \$4.90
\$10.00 Boys' Norfolk Suits . \$5.90
75c Boys' Knicker Pants . 37c
\$1.25 Boys' Knicker Pants . 59c

Crossed Kansas in Sail Wagon.
OSKALOOSA, Kan., May 12.—Sam Peppard, who crossed the Kansas plains in pioneer days in a wagon pushed by sail,

is dead at his home here. Peppard's wind wagon was said to have been the first that made a successful trip on land.

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Men! A Wonderful SUIT SALE

A choice selection of Emmund System Suits will be placed on sale tomorrow at a price far below their real value. Light and dark shades, plain colors, stripes and checks. **\$16.50**

LADIES' SUITS REDUCED PRICES
\$14.75 SUITS, NOW \$9.85
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White Chinchilla, white and black stripes, black and white checks, and fancy plaids. **\$6.95 to \$19.50**

DRESSES

Your choice of our \$11.90 to \$19.50 silk and cloth Dresses. **\$8.95**

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DILLON ATTACKS GOVERNMENT IN AN IRISH RIOT SPEECH

"You Are Letting Loose a River of Blood Between Two Races," He Says.

REFERS TO SOUTH AFRICA

Says What Is Needed, Is Not Militarism, but Way to Hearts of Irish People.

LONDON, May 12.—John Dillon, one of the most respected of the Nationalists, but often one of the bitterest antagonists of British rule, attacked the Government in the House of Commons yesterday, which for bitter denunciation has not been surpassed at Westminster since Parnell's days.

The Marquis of Lansdowne intimated to the House of Lords that the disarmament of all Ireland will be undertaken. This would mean the disarmament of the Ulster and Nationalist volunteers, and whether that can be done depends on Sir Edward Carson and John Redmond more than on any other individuals.

The House of Commons negated without dissent Dillon's motion demanding that the Government should immediately declare its intentions. The House of Lords adopted, without dissent, Lord Loreburn's motion expressing dissatisfaction with the Government's management of Ireland.

Dillon, in his speech, said that the fact that nine out of ten people in Ireland were on the side of the Government was due to the life work of the Nationalists, and now the present rule was "washing out that life work in a sea of blood."

Out of the whole of Ireland, Dillon continued, there were only four or five spots where there was insurrection, yet the whole country was under martial law and there was absolutely no trace of the civil administration. The Irish people, he declared, would refuse to accept the well-known high character of Gen. Maxwell as the sole guarantee of their liberties, and if the military rule was to be continued, the Government had better get ready 100,000 men to garrison the country.

"If Ireland were governed by men out of Bedlam," shouted Dillon, they could not pursue a more insane policy. You are letting loose a river of blood between two races, which, after 200 years of hatred we had nearly succeeded in bringing together. You are washing out our whole life work in a sea of blood."

Dillon charged that men had been threatened with death unless they gave evidence against comrades. In one case a boy of 15 was ordered to give evidence.

He said: "I won't," and the officer replied: "You will be shot." The boy replied: "Shoot away!"

The boy was blindfolded and then again was asked to inform, but replied: "No," he was then made to hear the click of rifles. Afterward the bandages were taken from his eyes and he was sent home. After describing this incident Dillon said:

"I call that damnable and intolerable!" Relating further incidents, Dillon continued: "Another man said: 'Shoot me, for I have killed three of your soldiers.' That may horrify some of the honorable members here, but I am proud of these men."

Cries of "Shame." This remark met with loud cries of "Shame!" but the speaker went on: "I am proud of their courage, and if the English people had not been so dense they would have these people fighting for them."

Dillon contrasted the treatment of Ireland and South Africa. It was recognized, he said, that these men were the victims of misdirected enthusiasm. What was wanted was not a military bill for Ireland, but a means to find a way to the hearts of the Irish people. The Government then would obtain the best troops in the world.

Among the personal incidents Dillon related was one concerning his son. He said: "Yesterday my son, 17½ years of age, applied for a military pass to go to Kingstown. He was asked his name and college and was grossly insulted by a British officer, who refused the pass. This son had asked permission on his seventeenth birthday to join the British army. I gave him leave to enlist when he became 18. He will never join it now, and there are tens of thousands of others in similar cases."

"After all, it is our country, although you look upon it as a sort of back garden, which you can trample into dust without consideration."

Premier Asquith opened in grave tones in reply to Mr. Dillon. He expressed deep regret that the member in most parts of his speech had forgotten some of the elementary rules of justice which ought to be a guide in dealing with such a serious situation.

Appeals to the House. The Premier appealed to the House to remember the infinite mischief done at a moment when he was still hopeful that even this might lead to something like a greater approximation of sympathy among all classes of Irishmen. When Dillon spoke of the rebellion having been drowned in a sea of blood, some regard must be paid to the actual facts, he said. It was impossible, he added, to measure life for life in such circumstances, but he must refer to the actual casualties which in the military were 124 killed and 397 wounded and of civilians 180 killed and 614 wounded.

The Premier made a feeling reference to the case of the Sherwood Foresters Territorial regiment, which while in training, was suddenly called upon before its time "to a most unwelcome task at the call of duty." There was no question of revenge, he added, but these men were cut off in their prime, their youth, their homes left in mourning.

"Let not our sympathy be entirely captured by the unfortunate, misguided victims of this unhappy and

criminal act," added the Premier, who said that some sense of proportion must be preserved, as no fair man could bind himself to the "terrible, wanton, inexcusable and unprovoked injury," which had been inflicted on the military and civil population.

Premier Asquith explained that actually 13 persons had been shot, the last case being that of Kent for murder. The Premier promised that further court-martials for murder would be conducted publicly. The persons executed, he said,

could be divided into three categories. The first was composed of those who signed the proclamation of the Provisional Government and were the leaders of the actual rebellion in Dublin. Of these, five out of seven had suffered the extreme penalty. The second class consisted of those who were in command of the rebels, actually shooting down troops and police. Of these there were seven.

The third class comprised men like Kent, who had been guilty of murder. There were two other persons, Asquith said, under sentences of death. Both of them had signed the proclamation and had taken an active part in the insurrection in Dublin.

The Premier did not see his way to interfere with the discretion of Major-General Maxwell, the commander of the troops in Ireland and say that the extreme penalty should not be inflicted. Referring to the rank and file of the rebels as "dupes," the Premier said they had been misled almost unconsciously, and the Government desired that they should be treated with clemency and that every opportunity should be given them in the future to redeem their error. The Government regarded the existing situation in Ireland as anomalous and in many ways unsatisfactory, but he had the greatest confidence in Gen. Maxwell and believed that, under the very trying conditions and in the exercise of very delicate and difficult jurisdiction, he had shown discretion and humanity.

"I am personally perfectly satisfied with the manner in which he has discharged his duties," the Premier declared.

Mrs. F. Sheehy Skeffington, widow of the Irish editor, in a statement declares her husband, at the risk of his own life, went to the rescue of a wounded officer outside of Dublin Castle on Easter Monday afternoon, the crowd being afraid to venture near. When he arrived

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Three of the Suit Styles at Each Price Shown in the Sketch Below



Many of our "best sellers" are included in these two groups of Suits, because of the assortments being broken. Silk and Cloth Suits, in all the staple colors, and in over 50 styles, fancy and tailored.

\$30 to \$40 Suits for **\$18.75**

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New arrivals in fancy Cloth Skirts—tan with brown plaids, blue with white plaids, gray with diagonal stripes and blue and white flag stripe serge.

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Awning Stripe Duck Skirts **\$1.98**
Awning Stripe Crepe Skirts **\$2.98**
Awning Stripe Mohair Skirts **\$4.98**
Inch stripe Manchester cloth Washable Skirts **\$3.98**
(Fourth Floor.)

As in the Suits—you have choice of many of the season's best selling numbers. Silk Coats, wool Jersey Sport Coats, striped pongee Sport Coats, waterfall silk Coats, white chinchillas, checks, plaids, mixtures—over 50 styles.

\$25 to \$40 Coats for **\$19.95**

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Reproductions of the Newest Five-Dollar Georgette Crepe Blouses

Styles as pictured. Offered for a record sale Saturday at

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Airy new Summer Georgette Blouses, exact reproductions of the latest and most exclusive five dollar models—the pictures can best tell the story of their unusual style-charm—the very latest version of the cape and frill effects are shown.

The high-quality Georgette, the careful workmanship, in fact, the general high character of these exquisite Blouses, you will agree, is most unusual. Colors are white and flesh shades, with all sizes in each style. (Main Floor.)



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A Sale of White Dresses

New arrivals in fresh, new White Dresses—the real tubular kind—with good quality laces and embroidery; also fancy organdy and nets; for little girls and juniors—all sizes, 6 to 17 years.

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Values to \$15.00 **\$5**

Come early Saturday and secure one of these pretty, dressy Coats—just \$5 of them, the balance of our Spring Coats, in one big clear-away. Furres, checks, silks and fancies. Every style of the season. 6 to 16 years.

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Last year the Post-Dispatch printed
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Many a man sees things "crooked" and imagines that other people's eyes are at fault. He may be near-sighted, far-sighted, or have astigmatism and never know it. There's because eyes trouble show themselves in other ways, such as nervousness, headaches, insomnia, etc. Make sure about your eyes. Let me examine them today.

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This prescription for the removal of freckles was written by a prominent physician and is usually so successful in removing freckles, and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold by any druggist under guarantee to refund the money if it fails. Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely. Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine; it is this that is sold on the money-back guarantee.—ADV.

YOAKUM TO TAKE STAND IN CANADIAN GRAFT CASE TODAY

Will Give His Version of Agreement by Which He Was to Get \$475,000.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 12.—B. F. Yoakum, former chairman of the board of the Frisco Railroad, is expected to take the stand today in the investigation of the Canadian Shell Commission graft scandal, following the cross-examination of E. D. Cadwell of the American Ammunition Co. He testified yesterday that Yoakum was to get \$475,000 in connection with the sale of munitions to the commission.

Cadwell admitted that an agreement had been made for the division of \$1,000,000 commission for trouble in negotiating the contract with the Canadian Shell Committee. In the negotiations he was associated with E. W. Bassick and Yoakum, he said.

"Why a commission," asked Attorney Helmut, "when you were all partners? Why did you not take an ordinary division of the profits?"

Cadwell's explanation was that other parties were to benefit by the contracts and share in the work, and it was felt that those who had "landed it" would be compensated first. The proposal, the witness said, gave rise to a heated discussion.

"I let them fight it out," said Cadwell. "Bassick had the letter from the committee guaranteeing the order, and he threatened to give it back. This brought them to time."

"Yoakum, however, persuaded Bassick that he ought to get most of the agreement because he had initiated the deal and had been prepared to put his money into it."

The final agreement, Cadwell explained, was that Yoakum was to get \$475,000 and Bassick \$275,000, while \$250,000 was to go to himself. This money was to come out of payments for the fuses as delivered.

In the speech made by G. W. Kyle in Parliament it was alleged that the \$1,000,000 divided was the advance from the Shell Committee, but afterward Kyle said that it was to be from profits on the transaction.

The American Ammunition Co. was then formed and E. B. Cadwell & Co. subscribed for 80 per cent of the stock, while C. R. Flint & Co. of New York took 20 per cent.

"Just at this time," Cadwell proceeded, "Yoakum indicated his desire to participate. He wanted to know how much stock he was going to get. I informed him it would have to be a small participation, as there were a good many people interested in my company."

"I thought the contract a good one and that Yoakum was getting all he was entitled to by way of commission without getting stock as well."

"However, he got participation to the extent of 1 per cent of the stock of Flint's 20 per cent and not out of our 80."

Asked why Yoakum did not get more, Cadwell answered: "He got a big commission and I would not give him any more."

Cadwell admitted that, though his company had the plant and experts, and had followed the advice of the War Office, they were not able to turn out time fuses.

Out of 30 lots, 18 had been rejected, or a total of 42,000 fuses. Much of the difficulty he attributed to the sub-contractors.

Dillon Attacks Government in an Irish Riot Speech

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at the spot he found that soldiers already had taken the officer away.

Skeffington was arrested, his widow's statement continues, although unarmed and unresisting, and on Tuesday was taken to Portobello Barracks and shot, without a trial, no priest being summoned to attend him.

Mrs. Skeffington declares that her statement can be corroborated by other witnesses. Her husband, she says, was the victim of a gross miscarriage of justice under guise of martial law. He took no part in the rebellion and tried to prevent looting, and was shot without pretense of a trial. When she last saw her husband alive he had called a meeting to stop the looting and was waiting to see if anyone would attend it.

From private sources, Mrs. Skeffington says, she received the following account of her husband's death:

"Skeffington refused to be blindfolded and met death with a smile, saying that the authorities would find after his death they had made a mistake. He put his hand to his eyes and a bullet passed through his hand and into his brain."

The widow declares that she received no notification of her husband's death and that she was refused any information concerning him. When two of her sisters went to the barracks and made inquiry concerning Skeffington, they were put under temporary arrest.

On Friday night, following the execution of her husband, a large military force, according to Mrs. Skeffington, surrounded her residence, fired without warning on her windows, burst open the doors and placed her and her son, aged 7, under arrest and for three hours ransacked the house.

Three days later they again raided the house and carried off her maid, who was detained for nearly a week. Unknown to her, her husband's body was dug up from the Portobello cemetery and transferred to Glasnevin cemetery.

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Third Floor

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Boys' Washable Suits, \$1.75

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Second Floor

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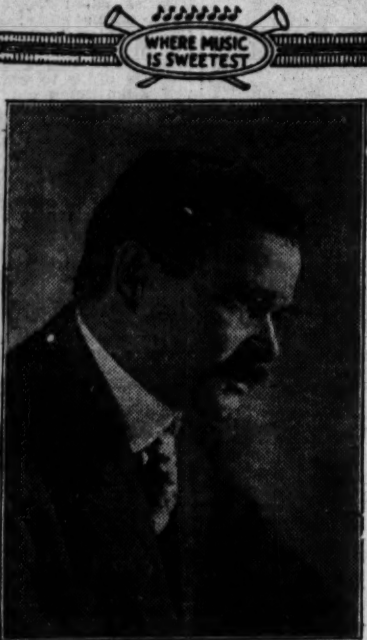
Increases to Be Computed on Basis of Scale in Effect in Private Plants of Similar Nature.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Secretary Baker announced yesterday that wage increases to be determined later would be granted to workmen in the Government arsenal at Rock Island, Ill. He said the increases would be based on the scales of similar private plants at Rock Island, Mo., Ill., and Davenport, Io.

Secretary Baker said he believed the increases, to be computed by Gen. Crozier, Chief of Ordnance, would be accepted.

The workmen petitioned for readjustments by May 15, and the increases will be determined by that time, Secretary Baker said. The Secretary recently declared that the Government should be a "model" employer, by paying slightly above private wage scales and offering better working conditions.

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WILL CASH NO MORE

East St. Louis Institution
Stopped Practice When Dis-
trict Treasurer's Shortage
Was Reported.

Orders for \$18,121 for teachers' and janitors' salaries and building expenses are lying in an East St. Louis bank, not having been redeemed by Stephen Le Page, retiring Treasurer of the Outlying School District, who has confessed to being unable to pay the \$41,400 which he owes the district. A Post-Dispatch reporter learned, also, that some of the warrants have been held more than four years. Some are dated February, 1912.

The bank, depending on Le Page to redeem the orders, has cashed them until recently, when, after obtaining certain information about the financial condition of the district, they refused to honor them. All the warrants are drawing interest, which, on the \$18,121, now totals \$1610.

Might Have Saved Interest.

An examination of the records shows that there was money in the different funds to redeem the orders much of the time, and that at least \$600 of the interest would have been avoided had they been redeemed promptly.

In District 18, against which \$3280 worth of orders have accumulated, and on which \$254 interest is now due, the records show that there is nearly \$10,000 in the fund. Le Page's own statement shows more than \$6000 in this fund. It was in this district that a discrepancy of \$4000 was found.

For District 18, the bank holds \$4000 of unredeemed orders, on which \$120 interest is due; for District 18, \$7345 of orders, with \$455 interest due; for District 18, \$1183 of orders, with \$661 interest due, and several small sums for building.

The new treasurer, August Eggman, has received no money from Le Page and 15 teachers and two janitors in the district have not been paid their salaries for April. Le Page collected more than \$1000 from tax collectors during the month of April, his books show, and that amount would be enough to pay the delayed salaries.

To Pay Four Teachers.

Eggman has collected, however, \$900 from one of the townships, and is making arrangements to pay the four teachers in the Signal Hill School. No other teachers can be paid out of this fund.

An attorney, employed by the trustees of the district, yesterday gave them an opinion that the trustees do not have to file a suit for the money owed to the district within 10 days after making a demand on Le Page. Eggman made the demand May 3. The trustees believed that unless they took action in 10 days they became personally liable. The attorney held that such was not the case. The next term of the Circuit Court is in September.

FATHER OF EIGHT CHILDREN HELD ON COMPLAINT OF GIRL OF 16

Richard Seeburger, 50 Years Old, a
Realty Owner, Calls His Arrest
a "Frame Up."

Richard Seeburger, 50 years old, of 627 Clark avenue, Webster Groves, was arrested last night as he was entering a cafe at Sixteenth and Market streets with Miss Hattie Brown, 16 years old, of 5104 Page boulevard, charged with enticing. Seeburger owns considerable property in and around St. Louis. He is the father of eight children, and is the man after whom Seeburger, Mo., was named. He gave bond for \$800.

Miss Brown told the police that Seeburger had been acquainted with her mother for more than 10 years. Yesterday morning she went to Clayton with a physician's certificate to attend trial of a real estate suit in which Seeburger and her mother were concerned.

Seeburger, she said, met her in the courtroom and asked her to meet him in the evening. She went from Clayton to St. Louis, Seeburger riding in the car with her. After he left, Miss Brown consulted Seneca Taylor, her mother's attorney. He advised her to keep the appointment and then notified the police. When Miss Brown met Seeburger at the cafe entrance, the police were in waiting and arrested him. He was released on bond. Seeburger told the police that he believed his arrest was a "frame up." He said he had had some business trouble with Mrs. Brown. He said Miss Brown told him she was singing in a cabaret and wanted him to come downtown to witness her act.

HABEAS CORPUS FAILS AND GILMORE AGAIN GIVES BOND

Defendant in Arson Conspiracy Case
Sought to Win Freedom on Ground
of Being "In Jeopardy."

Harold G. Gilmore, former head of the Gilmore-Boss Decorating Co., and a defendant in the arson conspiracy case, is again at liberty under a \$2000 bond, after four days of voluntary residence in the city jail. Gilmore went to jail Monday, his bondman, Chris Schwacker, surrendering him at his request, so that his lawyers might apply to the State Supreme Court for a writ of habeas corpus for his release.

The ground for this request was the fact that Gilmore, with two others, had been placed on trial, but that the trial had ended in a mistrial. To try him again, Gilmore's lawyers said, would be

to place him twice "in jeopardy," contrary to constitutional guarantees. The Supreme Court yesterday refused to grant a writ for Gilmore's release, and

Schwacker then renewed the bond in the former amount.

If Gilmore had won his contention, the two others placed on trial with him would probably have taken the same action. They are Julius R. Bersch, an insurance agent, and Harry C. Imel, a former business associate of Gilmore.

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LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

Regarding Twilight Sleep.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Will you please grant me space in your worthy columns for a subject somewhat important. The return this week of "Twilight Sleep" now showing at the Garrick, prompts me to write and hope you won't refuse me space. Two weeks ago I saw Twilight Sleep at the Princess; also heard the lady lecturing on the subject, and it is this lecture I wish to speak of. Without reflecting in the least on Twilight Sleep and its method I have no doubt that the many ladies who saw it (some taking their daughters) will agree with me that this lecture should not have been delivered the second time. If this lecturer must advertise and speak in behalf of this newly-discovered method, why has she not, at the same time, discussed the dangers accompanying natural birth. Three times daily for that week these lectures have taken place without any interference. Impregnable young, inexperienced minds with most horrible impressions of motherhood, such as may require years to eliminate from their memory. I notice the Government spares no expense or trouble yearly; they make every effort to benefit and enlighten the minds of young women through the aid of good literature prepared for the purpose of encouraging motherhood. So why allow all this good to be undone by those not having the interests of the public at heart? Why allow such gruesome descriptions of the horrible fate befalling those not employing this new method? Why has she not chosen to describe more fortunate cases bringing to light healthy, happy mothers of large families? Surely these cases are more plentiful than the unfortunate cases of rare happenings which are used in the illustrations. How has the world existed before this wonderful discovery? Is not this sacred, most beautiful duty shirked enough through sheer lack of knowledge on the subject and fear?

A YOUNG, HAPPY MOTHER.

Dusty Streets.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
As you are often called on to help the citizens of St. Louis when there seems to be a grievance occasioned by what would indicate either neglect by certain city officials or a defect in a city ordinance, can you advise its citizens as to who is responsible for the dusty streets at the present time?

It is simply awful in many parts of the city and the citizens would like to know who is responsible for this condition in order that they may jointly take some action to have the dust nuisance abated.

A DUST SUFFERER.

(Write to the Director, Department of Streets and Sewers, Room 322, City Hall—Editor Post-Dispatch.)

Woman's Ilimitable Capacity for Loving.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
Among the bugaboos conjured up by the opponents of woman's suffrage, perhaps the most frightful is this theory, that, when increasing power and intelligence woman will cease to look to man and to love him. It is absurd to believe this.

The Almighty saw fit to give women the capacity for loving and she is as apt to lose it as the leopard is to change his spots or the sun to lose its brilliance; and as long as she loves she will want to make happy the object of her affection.

As long as you want and appreciate homes, Jords of creation, women will rejoice to make them for you. This notwithstanding the fact that they may have taken up the monstrous practice of visiting the polls and filling out a ballot occasionally and notwithstanding the fact that they may feel an intense interest in the affairs of the world about them. PENELOPE.

Good Stenographers Expect Good Pay.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.
The article "The Stenographer," by Sophie Irene Loeb, in Wednesday's issue of the Post-Dispatch, is very interesting, and the comments are very helpful and to the point. However, being a stenographer, I cannot resist the temptation to raise the question of the gentleman whose letter called forth the writer's views on the subject. He asks "Now, who is to blame, the girl or our system of education, or is it I?" I am constrained to believe that it is the fault of the gentleman himself that he has a poor opinion of stenographers in general. There are plenty of competent stenographers, but doubtless the gentleman in question was not merely seeking a competent stenographer, but, at the same time, one who would work for a small salary. It is only in rare cases where this happy (for the employer) combination can be found. Let me repeat, there are plenty of good stenographers, but, like any other well-trained employee, they demand adequate remuneration for their services and obtain it.

A STENOGRAPHER.

THE PRESIDENT'S DUTY.

In his preparedness campaign President Wilson warned the people that war might come at any hour. He urged adequate preparation, including a navy equal to that of any other nation. On Feb. 4, after his St. Louis speech, the Post-Dispatch called attention to the vagueness of the President's utterances. We urged him to define specifically his idea of adequate preparedness, and thus clarify and crystallize public opinion. We said:

It is important, however, that the public thought be clarified. No one can do this so well as the President himself. A word from him defining the extent of the immediate preparedness he wants and outlining a program for the future, would have more weight than Secretary Garrison's utterances and far more weight than Secretary Daniels' expression of opinion.

On May 9, commenting on the folly of Congress in defeating and delaying preparedness measures and thus leaving the Government helpless with two crises—the German and Mexican—on its hands, we directed attention to the responsibility for this shameful situation. We pointed out the humiliating position of the President without adequate forces to deal with Villa, protect American troops in Mexico and patrol the border:

If the Carranza Government attacks American troops, it will mean hurried and costly preparation to cope with the situation. It will mean a heavy cost of lives and treasure. The responsibility will rest with Congress, which has failed to do its duty. We will pay the penalty of Congressional folly, of the subordination of patriotism to politics.

On May 10, analyzing the question of responsibility, we found that primarily it rested with the Democratic party as the party in control of Congress and all the departments of government. We warned President Wilson that he would have to answer for his party and his own conduct in connection with the duty of preparation. Quoting his own words, we said:

The President shares the responsibility and must answer for consequences. Speaking to the American Union against Militarism, he said:

When things are at sixes and sevens in a neighboring country, as in Mexico, and everybody apparently a law unto himself, there are not men enough to safeguard that border.

Why doesn't he tell Congress this and insist that the Government be given adequate forces?

If, knowing these facts and warning the people, the President is silent as to the dereliction and duty of Congress, how can he escape accountability? The only way in which he can justify himself is to demonstrate that he has exhausted his power to obtain from Congress necessary preparedness measures. Congress is the law-making body, but the President is charged with the duty of advising Congress on the condition and needs of the country. The effectual method is through a special message.

More than this, the President is the leader of his party and the head of its administration. He is the representative of all the people in the government. He is the leader of the people. They look to him for counsel and guidance. They depend upon him to guard the interests of the whole country and to voice its needs and demands.

The President cannot with impunity evade his duty to insist upon legislation required for the defense of the nation, confronted with the danger of war. If disaster, humiliation and heavy cost follow congressional neglect, his record must be clean or he will have to answer for the consequences. The President ought to have urged Congress to adequate action before this crisis. It is an imperative duty now.

RECRUITING THE FIRST REGIMENT.

A final movement to increase the strength of the St. Louis regiment of the national guard is announced. Saturday night, the last date on which new men can be accepted with eligibility to the annual camp at Nevada, is to be observed as recruiting night.

Missouri contains many thousand men who have already passed through the school of the militia. They found it a pleasant and profitable service. Almost without exception they testify to the value of the experience. Many of them learned things which have been beneficial to them throughout their subsequent life. These alumni of the national guard should be interested in providing one pupil each to come under the instruction of their alma mater.

Enlistment this year is especially linked with a phase of patriotic thought. The new recruit makes a gratifying demonstration of loyalty with a positive gain to himself in mental and physical assets.

When Mr. Sunday says the preachers can talk to the varnish he is painting the church situation a little worse, perhaps, than it is.

DON'T FRIGHTEN YOUNG WIVES.

A reader who signs herself "A Young Happy Mother" calls attention to the manner in which what is known as Twilight Sleep is being advertised by a film company at a local theater. She says that the woman lecturer dwells too much on the dangers that beset young mothers without the use of anesthetics such as are used in Twilight Sleep. "The gruesome descriptions of the horrible fate befalling those not employing this new method" will tend to make young wives discouraged.

It seems that similar methods in the advertising of Twilight Sleep are being followed elsewhere. The Minneapolis Journal quotes a Mrs. Robert B. Liggett, in a lecture at Seattle the other day, as saying that "There is not a baby in the world worth the suffering its mother went through to give it birth." And the Journal truly calls such an assertion "rubbish."

It is worse. It is false, as countless happy mothers will be glad to testify. Almost every family in which there are children knows, from experience, that most of the fears and terrors a young mother feels before the birth of the baby

turn out to be groundless. And when, at last, the new life appears, under the ministrations of a skilled physician, all the toil and suffering is minimized, if not forgotten, by the joy of blessed maternity.

GEN. MAXWELL'S UNENVIABLE FUTURE.

The Irish victims of court-martial now include 14 shot in Dublin, three of them newspaper men executed without the formality of trial, and one shot elsewhere, or 15 in all. The savagery of the reparation exacted surpasses even Austrian measures in retaliation for Hungarian and other uprisings of a former generation.

G. B. Shaw's expression on the execution is not marred by any straining after phrase effects or epigram manufacture. He declares flatly that England has been slaughtering men entitled to the immunities of prisoners of war and gives plausible reasons for his view.

It is likely that what he says will be adopted as the general judgment of the unprejudiced. In fact, "prisoners of war" are the very words used by W. D. Howells in a statement issued a few hours before Mr. Shaw's. "Cruel folly," "madness of English resentment" are other expressions used by Mr. Howells. He says further:

Nothing more lamentable in the war now raging has come to pass than this act of bloody vengeance. England has roused the moral sense of mankind against her. What a pity, what an infinite pity! She has left us who loved her cause in the war against despotism without another word to say for her until we have first spoken our abhorrence of her inexcusable legality in dealing with her Irish prisoners.

Some German names will be associated with inexcusable severity, but will any leader come out of the war in a more unenviable situation than Gen. John Maxwell? It is natural to hold him responsible as commander for the frightful blunders and every statement by Premier Asquith makes his responsibility more definite. This Jeffrey of the court-martial will be an object of repugnance to mankind in general and of special loathing and execration to Ireland and to the Irish of the United States, Canada and Australia.

SOUTHERN ILLINOIS BOND VALUES.

A singular statement about certain bonds of the uncompleted Southern Traction Co. of Illinois held by the insolvent Jefferson County Bank of De Soto is made in a report of State Bank Examiner H. R. Dooley. He refers to the repeal of the traction company's long-term franchise on the municipal bridge and in St. Louis streets as having affected the value of these bonds and says it remains for the company to show that the repeal was not legal. "If this cannot be done," he adds, "the bonds will have practically no value."

Legitimate value in these bonds depends on the earning power of the road and to such earning power an entrance to St. Louis is, of course, highly important. But the repeal did not deprive the road of entrance. It only assured the control of terminal facilities to the municipality, to be enjoyed by the Southern Illinois Traction Co. on the same reasonable terms as all other roads desiring entrance.

Any increment of value lent to the bonds by the franchise alone must have been due to supposititious exclusive or monopolistic privileges conferred and, even if the franchise were still in force, the profit from those is so remote as to make the increment negligible.

Mr. Dooley might find it advisable to remember some of the lessons of the newer political economy in making off-hand appraisals of security values. The reason these bonds are scarcely marketable at any price now is due to the road's dubious prospect as an uncompleted line of ever having any earning power, and not to the wise change in the arrangement for service at its St. Louis end.

MR. VAUGHAN'S SENSIBLE LETTER.

Mr. Vaughan has written a letter to Gov. Major which is construed as a virtual declination of the office, for which he is said to have been selected without his knowledge and without opportunity for consultation with the Governor about the matter. Assuming that the construction is correct, the very fact that he shows this appreciation of the delicacy of his position might argue for sound judgment and wise discrimination as a member of the board.

It is, however, no disparagement of Mr. Vaughan's estimable qualities to say that he might find a more agreeable field for public service in some position without the difficult requirements of a police head. Conditions under which his former conviction for crime might be peculiarly embarrassing are easily imaginable.

"AN IMPOSSIBLE PEOPLE!"

The Zuercher Nachrichten report that Gen. von Bissing, Governor Marshal of Belgium, expressed his disgust with the people of Belgium in the above-quoted words, when, in spite of his prohibition, the national Belgian colors were displayed in every nook and corner of Brussels on occasion of King Albert's anniversary on April 8.

Of course, the military police saw to it that the national flag was not raised at any point. But they could not easily prevent gentlemen in black suits with white shirt fronts wearing red neckties; nor could they make a case against the grocer who piled up tomatoes, tapoca and prunes in close juxtaposition in his show windows. Especially lady pedestrians seem to have annoyed the General to the limit of endurance, and he is reported to have exclaimed in a fit of anger: "These people are insanely national. You cannot teach them anything."

A pathetic story is told in the same article of Belgian children, who insist on speaking French. The officers must pretend not to hear, or else all the Belgian children of Brussels would be brought before the Court of Correction daily, as they will not cease speaking French.

But here and there an officer will break into a cluster of children and take out one, take him or her before the Court, and have him punished—physical punishment in each instance.

A little told, brought before the magistrate, was asked why he insisted on speaking the prohibited tongue.

"Papa spoke French," was the reply.

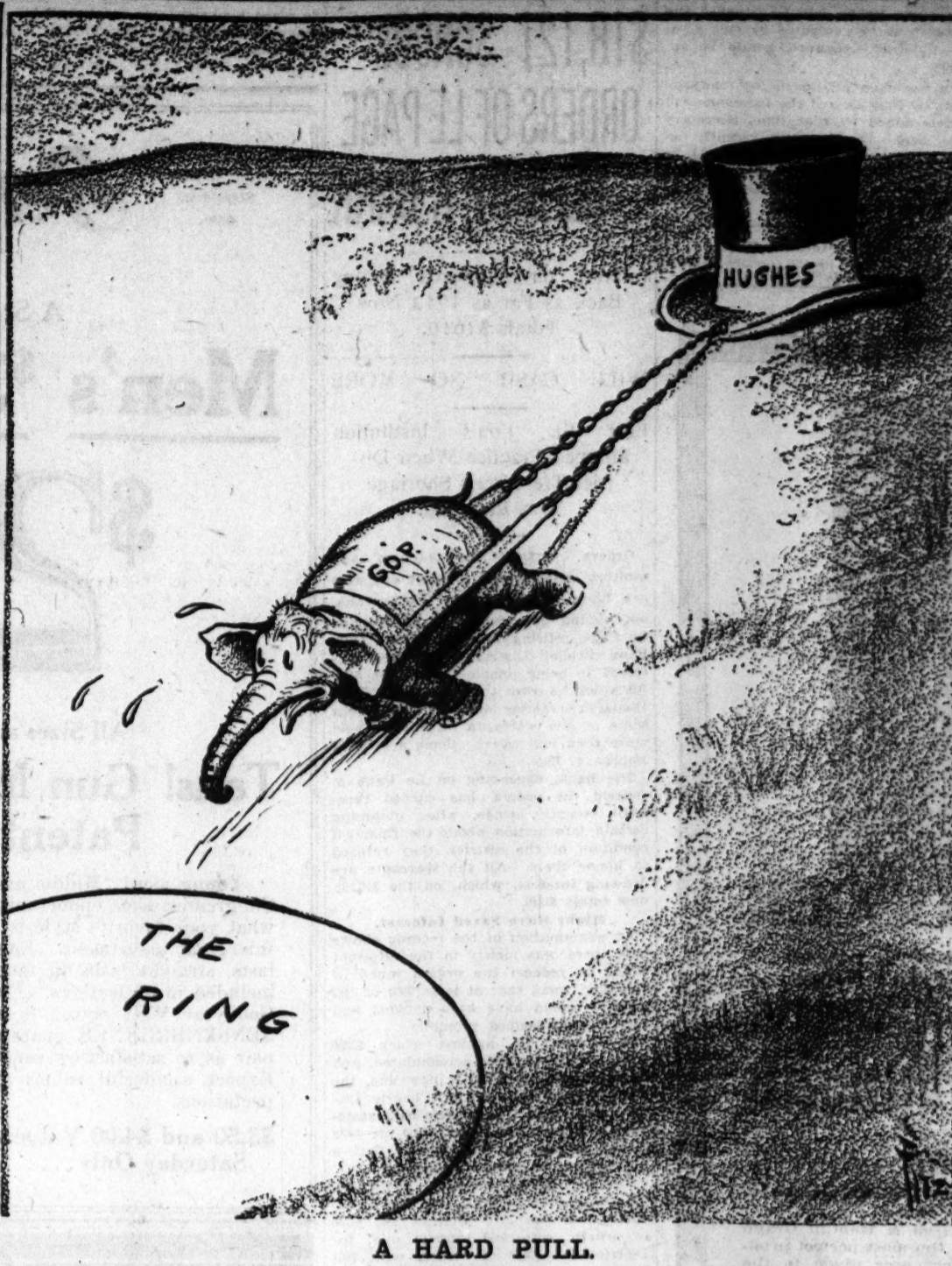
"And where is your papa now?"

"You have killed him."

"If we killed him, he was a bad man."

"My papa was good. You are bad."

Of course the child got his whipping.



JUST A MINUTE

Written for the POST-DISPATCH by Clark McAdams

I CAN'T BE DONE.

(Reprinted Because It Will Stand It.)

HOW did the world get started, son?
Why, someone said, "It can't be done!"

That settled it. The troglodyte
Came out of darkness into light.

"It can't be done!" somebody said,
And lo! the green fields gave us bread.

With that taunt ringing in his ears
Has man gone upward through the years

You should have seen the mill wheels run
When someone said, "It can't be done!"

"It can't be done!" they said before
A sail put out to sea from shore.

Since world's remote and dismal dawn
Those magic words have spurred us on.

It drove Columbus where the sun
Went redly down, "It can't be done!"

"It can't be done!" the weaklings said,
And lo the Wright flew overhead.

"It can't be done!" was what they cried
When Fulton offered them a ride.

They said it, and Marconi sent
His messages through the firmament.

That is the way it happened son,
Praise God for this, "It can't be done!"

The Hughes boom is one notion of uncertainty.
The Justice doesn't know that he cares to be nominated for President, and the Republicans don't know that they care to nominate him.

"The Government is experimenting with sawdust in making artificial silk. Sawdust silk! Will the silkworm turn?"—Post-Dispatch Editorial.

Answer: The sawdust will be made from wormwood.

BO.

RESTORATION.

WHEN silence covers guns that belch and roar,
When monarchs call their armies and depart,

When Emperors find they have a human heart
And make their puny efforts to restore,

Ah, Belgium,
Can they heal thy broken heart?

The scourge of war will die a halting death,
Europe in crumbling ruins, rust and mould,
Her hopes destroyed, her birthright more than sold,

Can restoration save her fleeting breath?
Fair Poland,

Was thy red blood shed for gold?

The battered hamlet's ruins fade away,
Cathedrals rise from ashes, battles won
Are history by Egyptian hosts begun.

The sun will rise upon a bloodless day,
But mother,

Can a cross replace thy son?

St. Louis. S. P. JUDD.

We are assured by Japanese newspapers that Japan doesn't want the Philippines. Maybe we could give them to Annam, which worships white elephants.

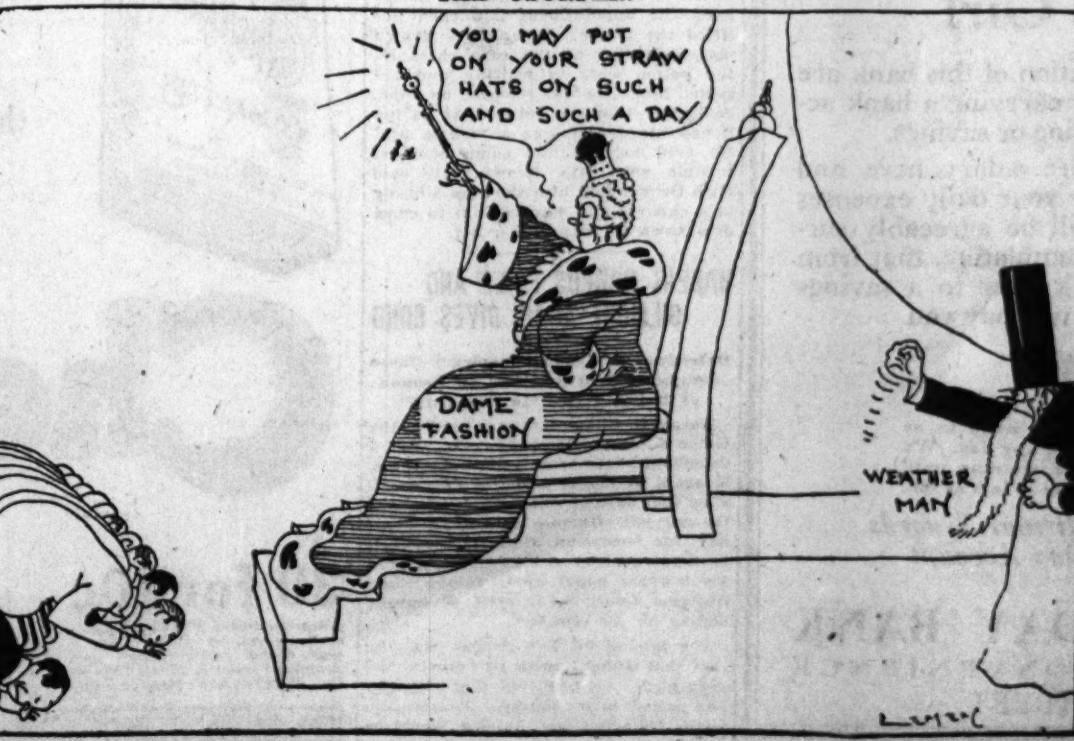
Recruiting Officer: Can you die?
Recruit: I believe so. I have almost died several times thinking of it.

England has decided to push the clock ahead an hour. You have to get up early to beat the Germans.

Why not put the Chicago convention off until the Republicans have somebody in sight?

Let us hope that the Browns may be able to participate in clean-up week.

THE USURPER.



ANSWERS TO QUERIES

BEAUTY CULTURE.

ANXIOUS—You might try powdered pumice stone to remove stains on teeth. Do not use it often.

ANXIOUS—We have never heard of injury to the hair from camomile. (Phone) You can other queries to Barnes.)

MRS.—Buttermilk, cried on, removes freckles. Another remedy is the juice of watermelon. When it is impossible to get the melon juice, a preparation is made up in glycerine and water, one-half ounce of lemon juice, one-half dram of sugar, and one dram of cologne. Let the mixture stand a day or two, and then mop on the face with a bit of absorbent cotton at night. A writer on freckles says: "Nothing will remove them permanently; lotions may cause them to bleach out for a while, but the first time of the sun, and there they are again. The best and only way to keep freckles off is to wear a yellow chiffon veil when going out."

CLEANSING.

ROSEMARY—in nearly every case straws of all grades and kinds can be cleaned with perfect satisfaction with soap and gasoline. There is a great deal in knowing how to rub and clean, and in sending the dirt from one spot to another.

ROSE—The professional method of cleaning taffeta silk is to first sponge with perfect satisfaction with soap and gasoline. Lastly sponge with clean gasoline and hang up until dry, out of reach of fire or artificial light. For shine, sponge with ammonia.

SILK—To remove blood spots, drop cold water quickly on stains and then cover with thick layers of powdered starch. When dry brush off, when the stain should have vanished, though it sometimes happens that a second application is necessary. Spots that have dried into the fabric need soaking in cold water.

HEALTH HINTS.

JEAN—If you sleep with your window open, see that the draft cannot reach you. If you find no relief from the sneezing, see a physician.

HOUSEHOLD HELPS.

D. O. S.—Varnish inoleums when first laid on. Every six months after, but use only inoleum varnish, which dries quickly, never is sticky, and leaves a surface as hard and smooth as glass and as easily cleaned. See paint store.

READER—A mixture of table salt and vinegar will clean tarnished brass or copper. It is said that half a lemon dipped in salt will be found quite as serviceable in cleaning articles of copper and brass. If brass is lacquered, clean with warm water, dry thoroughly, polish with chamois.

LAW POINTS.

MRS. C.—Hold six months, then advertise and sell roomer's baggage.

MR. P.—Would not advise you to handle the foreclosure, being inexperienced in such matters.

R. M. R.—Having stood on the few inches of neighbor's ground over 10 years you acquired an easement and he cannot compel you to remove the wall.

J. EDWARDS—Will be probated where testator resided (where he was a resident). In your case testator's personal estate is taxed in Missouri if inheritance applies and real estate in Illinois if same is located, and copy of will must be filed and probate proceedings with, but a nonresident executor of the will could not act and a resident administrator must be appointed.

MISCELLANEOUS.

P. D. S.—Ask 15 N. 11th.

BETTY—See tea will not keep.

CONSTANT READER—Strange a constant reader has not read that 134 Americans were lost on the Lusitania. One on the Galahad 3 on the Gulfport 3 on the Arabia, some on the Anconia, 1 on the Persia, several seriously injured on the Sussex.

FISCHER—Fastest time ever made from Chicago to the Missouri River, Fe. 27, 1886, when the Burlington's fast train covered the distance in 9 hours and 44 minutes. 30 minutes of which was delayed time making stops in Chicago, 3 hours and 45 minutes. Fastest time ever made from Missouri River to Chicago was on June 16, 1886, when the Burlington's fast mail train made the run in 9 hours and 23 minutes.

KITTY—Texas area 697,260 square miles; Germany 357,021. (These figures were given before Germany lost her African territory.) Population of Germany in 1910, 64,920,000. According to semi-official statistics compiled before the war a baby is born in Germany every 16 seconds, while death claims a victim only once in 23 seconds. The net increase in population being 30 an hour.

INQUISITIVE—Until 1878 St. Louis was in St. Louis County, but at this time, by virtue of a Constitutional amendment and a new charter passed by the people, the city of St. Louis was separated from St. Louis County and has been independent of it ever since. Clayton is the county seat of St. Louis County. (The demand for "chestnuts" is the largest an answerer has to supply.)

TAXPAYER—Certainly the free bridge will be open to all railroads that wish to use it, when completed. The city is eager to have the roads use it, and it will be open to all railroads. "Answers" expresses no opinion as to whether the city officials are all for safety and efficiency, but you are entitled to that opinion, if you wish to hold it. Of course, the Post-Dispatch is always on hand to protect the interests of the people, and we are glad you appreciate it.

RICH—Lobsters, crustaceans; not classed as fish. Fish contain no particular elements which adapt them especially as food for the brain, and support mental efforts. The value of fish as a food to persons engaged in mental labor is found in the fact that fish do not contain large quantities of those materials which demand much physical exercise or exertion, and their complete consumption. As the brain worker is seldom physically active, the value of fish as food for him is due to what is not contained in the fish.

C. M. S.—Stone, in Great Britain, is a weight of 14 pounds. In the United States it is 16 pounds. In the principal commercial states of Germany the stone (of flax) is the fifth of a hundredweight (centner equals 100 or 112 pounds), i. e., 20 pounds in Prussia and the Zollverein, Hamburg, Lubeck and Bremen, 23 pounds in Austria, while in Sweden it is equivalent to 25 pounds. With respect to the variation of the stone weight in Great Britain, it should be remembered that the stone of 14 pounds is the only legal imperial weight of the kind. The origin of this peculiar method of weighing and measuring is rather obscure, and still more so is that of the different forms into which it has branched.

H. P.—Keep fishworms in damp earth in a keg, tub or worm-light box. Four little dishwater tubs over the earth two or three times a week, and throw a little corn meal in the keg about once a week. The worms will eat the dishwater, together with the corn meal, will keep worms fat. It does not matter whether the worms are kept in a dry or damp cellar. Worms are great promoters of vegetation by boring, aerating and loosening soil, and rendering it pervious to rain, and the fibers of worms are dry and twist into it, and most of all by throwing up an infinite number of mounds of earth called worm-casts, which form a fine manure for grain and grass. The earth where worms would soon become cold, hard, void of fermentation and consequently sterile. This has occurred in many cases where the worms have been either accidentally or intentionally destroyed, and the fertility of the soil thus lost has only been restored when the worms have again been introduced and resumed their fertilizing work.

Fashion's Choice

A soft, refined, creamy-white appearance, the choice of Ladies of Society, is readily obtained by the use of

Gouraud's Oriental Cream

Refreshing and healing to the skin. The perfect, non-greasy liquid face cream. Use from the hands. Removes discolorations. Send 10c. for trial size.

FERD. T. HOPKINS & SON, New York City

Household Helps.

FOR removing skins from ripe tomatoes, instead of plunging them into hot water, scrape the tomato with the back of a knife blade, and the skin may then be removed readily.

Old newspapers are invaluable. After the garbage can has been emptied, "line" the pail with two or three "thick" newspapers. The garbage man will empty papers and contents. Saves scrubbing the can and keeps it clean.

Good lotion for chapped hands: After thoroughly washing and drying the hands, apply vinegar; rub gently until dry.

The Willful Morning Glory

By Mrs. F. A. Walker.

ONCE there was a little Morning Glory vine that did not want to climb up the trellis with its sisters, but thought it knew more than they did or the gardener who tried to direct its growth.

One morning it reached out and touched the grape arbor where the grape

Sandman story of the flower that learned there is a place for everything and everything should be in its place.

Vine grew thick and high, and when its sisters saw what was happening they called to the little vine, "Come back, sister, and grow up this trellis with us; do not leave us."

"I shall do nothing of the sort," answered the saucy and willful little vine. "If you are content to climb on that little trellis, I am not. I want to grow high and be of some account; if I stay with you I can only grow to the top of the trellis, and besides that I shall be just like all of the other Morning Glories."

"But, sister," the others cried, "are you not content to be just what God made you and be like the rest of us?"

"No, I am not," answered the wayward sister. "I shall be the only Morning Glory on the grape arbor, and everyone will see me and call me pretty. I am going to climb the grape arbor, and if you want to stay on the trellis you can; so, good-by."

"Oh, dear! Oh, dear! What will become of her?" sighed the sister blossoms. "The gardener will not want her to grow up there. This is her place."

SO the willful little vine clung to a tiny tendril of the grape vine and began to grow on the grape arbor.

"What are you doing here?" asked the grape vine, when the Morning Glory grew up among the leaves. "Why don't you grow on your own trellis? This place belongs to the grape vine."

"I shall grow up here if I choose," answered the saucy little Morning Glory; "you are jealous because I have a pretty blossom and you have none."

But the next morning when the gardener came along he saw the Morning Glory and reaching up and pulled it down, tearing the blossom and leaving the little vine hanging without a place to cling.

The little Morning Glory was quite surprised that the gardener did not admire it for being so ambitious and growing up so high among the grapes, but it did not understand then where its place was and looked about for something else to climb upon.

A ladder standing near caught the fancy next of the foolish little Morning Glory, and it reached out and began to climb on the ladder.

"Here at least, if I do not grow high up, I shall be the only one on the ladder, and I can twine about all I please."

BUT one morning the gardener came again and wanted the ladder, and down again he pulled the little Morning Glory, and this time he broke the vine off close to the trellis where its sisters grew.

Discovered, the little vine glanced up and saw its sisters looking lovingly down at it. "Come, stay with us," they said; "the gardener knows best where you should grow; each one of the vines has its place to climb. See, there is a place left bare where you should have grown. Stay with us."

The little Morning Glory, willful no longer, glanced up at the bare spot beside her sisters and began to climb, and the next morning she was blooming beside them, convinced at last that each blossom had its place on the trellis and that it would be content to fill the place God intended it to fill, and never be willful again.

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Slangy Speech in Girls Is Conducive to Slangy Manners.

AMONG girls the slang habit is one as easily avoided as acquired. To an accustomed one's self to the use of coarse language is to make difficult a change to refined speech; and as there come times when refined speech is absolutely requisite to a refined nature, the danger of being unable to employ it at will is certainly to be dreaded.

Upon the whole, there is perhaps too much talking. A ceaseless flow of words betokens an unmediated character, and those who never take occasion to meditate are bad thinkers. Thought is essentially the foundation of character, for it is not written that "as a man thinketh, so he is."

If we converse in English or French or German we think in English or French or German. If we converse in slang we think in slang, therefore, our thoughts are boorish in proportion as our language is rude.

Girls who fall into slangy expressions are quickest to fall into slangy manners, for there is a slang manner as well as a slang language. Though difficult to describe, the slang manner is readily recognizable. It attaches to those girls who obviously lack what is called good breeding.

A girl in the poorest garments, the most unmistakable poverty, may—and often does—manifest a well-bred character. It is such girls who, after achieving better fortune, rise easily to the best social status and carry themselves as if to the manner born.

Slang, then, is dangerous not so much because of its tendency to vitiate one's education, but because of its reflex influence upon the character of the individual. It cheapens a girl to be too slangy, but it cannot be denied to anyone the right to an occasional expression which has no claims upon legitimate etymology.

Everyone, especially every girl, should refrain from a habit which conduces to slovenliness.

Waste in Garbage.

THE \$7,000,000 declared to be lost annually in the garbage of 199 American cities is not in articles dropped into the waste, but in the waste itself, which is estimated to be worth that fortune if properly reduced and put to the uses science has discovered for it.

Laying Matting.

WHEN you put down a new matting do not cut it to fit corners, but wet it thoroughly with a soft brush or cloth dipped in hot water to which a cupful of salt has been added. When thoroughly soaked the matting becomes as pliable as rubber, and can be turned under without breaking. This makes a neater finish than cutting, and also saves the matting for use in a different shaped room.

REMLEY'S

6th and Franklin—Saturday Special
NOTICE—Starting Monday, May 15th,
We Will Open at 7 A. M., Close at 6:30 P. M.
Saturdays, Store Open Till 9:30 P. M.

FRESH Pork Shoulders 12c
Grandest U. S. inspected Calf—
cut from the finest selected hogs
on earth—closely trimmed
Blade Shoulders, lb. 13c

RED-HOT LIQUOR SPECIALS
O. F. C. Whiskey, bottled in bond, full qt. 79c
Guggenheimer Whiskey, bottled in bond, full qt. 79c
Old Charter Rye or Bourbon, bottled in bond, full qt. 79c
Old Frontier Rye, bottled in bond, full qt. 79c
Kentucky Yellow Label, full qt.; rich and mellow 79c

Sweet Wine Special 27c
Port, Sherry, Angelica, Muscatel and Catawba Wine, full quarts, 50c value.

ROLLED ROAST 16c
Cut from finest cattle — "no bone, all solid meat." "Regular Boston style." "Young," "tender," "juicy." Regular 22c value, lb.

Sweet Potatoes 8c
Think of it! At less than half the price of Irish potatoes, "beautiful, smooth, good size, sound," Remley cuts the price per half peck,

BRAG COFFEE
Absolutely the Greatest Coffee Value Ever Offered
Blended with the highest types of 35c VALUE.
Selected as the cream of a private coffee plantation for its fine cup qualities. Don't miss it. 35c value. Today, per lb. 29c
Santos Coffee, 22c value 15c

New Potatoes 15c
Beautiful Florida Triumphs—"not like marbles"—good, smooth, decent size—1/2 peck
Wiensers 12c
Franks 12c
Metts 12c
Bologna 12c
Head Cheese 12c
Knock 12c
Liver 12c

PURE WISCONSIN CREAMERY BUTTER 29c
Direct from the best Northern creameries—thousands upon thousands of pounds received daily. The abundance of May grass gives the butter that delicious sweet taste that people long for. "It will pay you to come downtown and see only for a pound of this delicious butter." We guarantee to be a pound under all dealers.

BREAD 5c
Nearest home-made and the best made in St. Louis. Made by skilled Union bakers in our own large sanitary bakery.
2 LARGE LOAVES 5c
Spanish Buns; genuine article 10c
Orange Layer Cake; deliciously flavored 10c
Orange Roll; large cuts 5c
Rhubarb Pie; well filled and sweet 10c

"Smoked Shoulders" 14c
Sugar cured, hickory smoked; mild and sweet. Grandest lot for many months. Down goes the price; for Saturday, 14c value, lb.
Fresh Spareribs, lb. 10c
Fresh Neck Bones, 3 lbs. 10c
Young Beef Liver, lb. 9c

SODA FOUNTAIN SPECIALS
Ice-Cold Buttermilk Large Glass 2c
Orangeade 2c
Lemonade 2c
"Restaurant" & Delicatessen Specials
SWISS PREMIUM BAKED HAM, with new garden spinach, Asparagus tips in cream, Steamed New Potatoes, Mock Turtle Soup, Rice Pudding with raisins, Vanilla Cream Sauce, A DOLLAR DINNER—from 11 a.m. to 10 p.m. 25c
Delicatessen Specials: Clam, Salad-Potato Salad-Cold Sandwich, Asparagus tips (Vinaigrette) 8c

GROCERY SPECIALS
5 Pounds fine Granulated Sugar—with 1/2 lb. Fancy Mixed Tea 31c
PET MILK; tall cans; 2 cans 15c
STRING BEANS; Baraca Brand; regular 10c value; 3 cans 20c
SHAROLIGHT MATCHES; large boxes; regular 5c value; 3 boxes 10c
TUNA FISH; Albicote Brand; regular 10c value; per can 5c
KITCHEN KLENER; regular 5c cans; 3 cans 10c
FINE TABLE SALT 5-lb. bags; regular 10c value; 2 bags 13c
BRAG COFFEE; none better; reg. 40c value; per lb. 29c
FRESH ROASTED JUMBO PEANUTS; per pound 10c
SPECIAL COMBINATION
1 large bottle Blueing 5c
1 large bottle Ammonia 5c
1 carton No. 1 Argo Starch 5c
1 Package Smoky City Laundry Tablets 5c
2 bars Lenox Soap 10c
This Combination 19c, Value 30c
1 can Units June Peas 10c
1 can Lake Gulf Sweet Corn 10c
1 can Acme No. 1 Tomatoes 10c
This Combination 19c, Value 26c

VOTELESS WOMEN TELL THEIR CHOICE

Whether women are allowed to take part in any of the Missouri elections or not, they are taking every opportunity to express their opinions on the safeguards of health.

"I can say to anybody in the world that Tanlac has been a real God-send to my husband and to me," Mrs. Mary Hurst of 1227 North Twelfth street, St. Louis, stated in regard to the splendid relief the great reconstructive tonic had given them. "We have both received real benefit from it."

"I suffered from stomach trouble, nervous indigestion, and catarrh of the stomach. Every bone in my body ached. My appetite was poor—that and the loss of sleep brought on a general run-down condition. But since I have taken Tanlac, my indigestion has entirely disappeared, my appetite is fine, and my nerves are better and stronger. I am glad to say that my bones no longer feel as if they were going to break."

I sleep like a child."

Referring to her husband's great improvement through taking Tanlac, Mrs. Hurst stated:

"My husband, Mr. Sam Hurst, who is a trained nurse, broke down in health over four years ago. He suffered from rheumatism and neuralgia. But while he received many different treatments and tried many different medicines, no good came of them. Tanlac has made him feel better than he had for months, and he tells me that if he continues to improve as he has in the past two or three weeks, he will soon be out and working."

Tanlac is being especially introduced in St. Louis at the Wolf-Wilson drug store, Sixth and Washington, and at the Seventh and St. Charles streets store of the Johnson-Endler-Pauley Drug Co. The four Winkelmans stores are the special South Side distributors of Tanlac.—ADV.

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Put More into Living! Follow the expert advice of the world's famous Dr. J. C. Carter's Little Liver Pills. Genuine bears signature.

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Everyone likes a change from meat occasionally. SKINNER'S MACARONI PRODUCTS form a delightful substitute for meat, being highly nourishing, delicious in flavor and very economical.

Only 10 to 12 minutes required for cooking.

EXCHANGE SIGNATURE TRADE MARKS FOR EAGLE STAMPS

Made in the Largest Macaroni Factory in America by SKINNER MANUFACTURING CO., J. H. Phifer, Local Mgr. RAILWAY EXCHANGE BLDG.

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Suloherb Tablets (Not Sulphur)

Grand Mother's Old-Fashioned Remedy

For Constipation and Impure Blood

And to act as a TONIC to the WHOLE SYSTEM was the old reliable mixture of SULPHUR, CREAM OF TARTAR and MOLASSES.

Suloherb Tablets represent the same mixture in a modern concentrated form for the relief of constipation and the many ills resulting therefrom, principally impure diseased blood—for if the impurities and waste food portions are not thrown out of the system in quick and natural manner, serious results are bound to follow. The poisons are absorbed by the blood, the excretory organs are overtaxed, the circulation is sluggish, and as a result you suffer with a tired feeling, headaches, the skin becomes sallow, blotches and eruptions appear and the general health is poor.

Suloherb Tablets act as a gentle laxative on stomach, liver and bowels, free the system of impurities without pain or gripe and give tone and strength to the digestive system. They create good, pure blood in the veins to nourish and sustain the body. Suloherb Tablets are guaranteed to give satisfactory results and may be obtained at all drug stores. ADV.

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All the very newest models—with large deep sailor collars—popularly priced at \$1.00 \$1.95 \$2.95



In the very best quality of materials and made by the best blouse makers—specially priced for tomorrow.

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Coat Values Up to \$22.50
The one illustrated is a handsome quality of silk with a broad band of maribou around the entire front and bottom. \$15
The Suits embrace many of our higher priced silks, which were formerly sold up to \$30, are included in this lot for tomorrow's selling only, at

For Saturday Morning Surprise—a limited quantity of Shepherd Checked Coats at \$3
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Just 50 Silk Striped Taffeta Skirts in navy, black and brown—\$7.50 values—for tomorrow's selling. \$4.95
Skirts Originally Priced Up to \$7.50
This will clean up our entire cloth stock Now \$1.95 \$2.95
This Maribou Trimmed Silk Coat at \$15
Many other very handsome models in silk taffeta and silk poplin.

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Sizes 1 1/2 to 2; \$2.50 value, at \$1.65
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Boys' Elk Sole Shoes
Sizes 2 1/2 to 6, special at \$1.79
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Mary Jane Pumps in patent and white canvas; 5 1/2 to 8, at \$1.79
Same style, sizes 2 to 5, at 65c
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As illustrated—foot form last. A very special value—in sizes 1 1/2 to 2 at \$1.85
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In white canvas, plain toe lace styles; special at \$2.45
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High lace style with red rubber soles; special \$2.95

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69c Hand Bags
Some with four
sittings and
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25c Neckwear
Women's Sample
Neckwear; some
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BARGAIN CENTER We Give a Reason
SECURITY STAMPS

Satin Back Velvet RIBBONS
No. 1 1/2 width. **5c**
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No. 4 width. **10c**
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Of silk and wool materials,
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Latest creases; surplice and
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somely trimmed with em-
brodery. In Spring's most
charming colors and black;
many have sleeves of
Georgette. Their price,
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Summer Dresses
In various stripes and flow-
ered effects of crepe, voile,
tulle, etc.; big
range of pretty
styles. Their price,
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Women's Skirts
Brand-new styles, plain or
trimmed effects, of fine
serge and novelty wool
fabrics. Their
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our price, **\$1.98**

Women's Suits
High-grade Spring Suits,
made of materials now in
demand and styles the very
latest. Their price,
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Spring Coats
Nobby styles of moire, serge,
tweed, poplin, etc., in
full variety of
colors and black.
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Silk Dresses
Beautiful styles of taffeta
and crepe de chine, in pre-
tious range of col-
ors. Their
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our price, **\$5.88**

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Fine Wool Suits—the very
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lin, gabardine and Shep-
herd checks. Their price,
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\$1.00 Girls' Gingham Dresses
In pretty stripes and
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Men's \$2.00 and \$2.50 new Spring
Shoes, in patent, dull and tan
leathers; Good-
year welt-sewn
soles; medium,
high and En-
glish toes; all
sizes.



\$1.95
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Scout Shoes for men and boys that
are serviceable for everyday wear.
Durable elkskin
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6 to 11, and
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Women's \$2.00 to \$4.00 new Spring
Shoes, in patent and dull leathers, all new-
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Perry Pumps, Mary
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pers; high or low
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Girls' Mary Jane Slippers, in pat-
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cluded you will find
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Slippers that sell
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sizes 8 1/2 to 2.



\$1.00
\$1.00

Wm. Rogers' Silverware
24-piece set; 4 knives, 6
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50c SAMPLE EARRINGS
Pearls, rock pearls, drop
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69c PEARL BEADS
Filled pearls, beads,
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Leads. **39c**

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Men's \$1 Straw Hats
Included are all 1916 blocks in sen-
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and low crowns; wide and
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New Norfolk, patch pocket models in fancy mix-
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Your boy will be proud to wear one of these
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short sleeve shirt,
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Shirts; all
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Shirts, soft, dou-
ble cuffs, all
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terns, all sizes **50c**

SILK AND KID GLOVES
59c SILK GLOVES
2-clasp, double finger
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Of Milanese silk, ex-
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Imported Kid, sizes
5 1/2, 6, 6 1/2 and 7—
black only pair. **69c**

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Double boning throughout; made to stand hard
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els in this lot; some
with wide front stay
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89c Silk Camisoles
And Corset Covers in pink
and white, very daintily
trimmed with Val. lace,
finished with
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25c DRAWERS
Best quality cambric; plain
tucked ruffle
open or closed;
special. **17c**

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Included are all 1916 blocks in sen-
nits, splits and soft braids; high
and low crowns; wide and
narrow brims; Saturday's
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\$2 & \$2.50 Sam- ple Straw Hats
Actual \$2 value;
while this lot lasts,
at... **95c**

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Orchestra Pleases a Large
Audience.

BY RICHARD L. STOKES.

N the intimacy of a drawing room,
a gracious host and his family
staring with eager hospitality for
the pleasure of their guests—that was
the felicitous atmosphere with which
Walter Damrosch and his New York
Symphony Orchestra invested their con-
cert last night at the Odeon. To this
unwonted warmth of courtesy the audi-
ence responded with the most fervid en-
thusiasm ever beheld at a symphony
concert in this city. And the audience
was one which in size as well as in
outspoken appreciation was a significant
commentary upon the usual audiences of
the St. Louis Symphony Orchestra.

A refreshing instance of Director
Damrosch's unselfish graciousness was
shown in his courtesy towards the eve-
ning's soloist, Josef Hofmann, the lit-
tle giant of the piano. Only a few weeks
ago Hofmann declared publicly that he
would never again play with the Bos-
ton Symphony Orchestra, because its
director, the famous Dr. Karl Muck,
made it plain to him that he considered
a soloist a superfluous intruder in any
Boston Symphony program. It is also
well remembered here with what testi-
mony Max Zach clapped the extinguisher
upon Vladimir de Pachmann a few
years ago, when that eccentric pianist
was on the verge of stampeding a sym-
phony concert into a personal triumph
for himself.

Damrosch Helps Hofmann.
But when Hofmann seemed about to
transform last night's program into a
piano recital, responding to encore after
encore until four were given, Damrosch
did his best to help things along. It
was enough for him, again like a genial
host, that his guests, the audience,
wished to hear Hofmann play. Undis-
turbed by any fears for his own su-
periority, Damrosch stood among the
violins so as to leave the stage free to
the soloist, and applauded as heartily
as anyone for Hofmann's repeated re-
calls.

And Hofmann's art was worthy of
receiving the right of way, for it was
beyond comparison the most brilliant
piano playing heard here this year,
during a season which has presented
such virtuosos as Paderewski, Bauer,
Friedberg, Godowsky and Blochfeld.
Zelizer. One was at a loss which to
admire the most—the splendors of his
trio, his almost blinding speed of tech-
nique, his titanic power or the electric
force of his personality.

Hofmann's Program.
His programmed number was Schu-
mann's Concerto for Piano and Orches-
tra in A Minor, one of the finest com-
positions of the kind in musical litera-
ture. Needless to say, it was played
with masterful eloquence, Director Da-
mrosch tactfully subduing the orchestral
accompaniment to the piano solo, and
taking his seat on a sort of high chair
at Hofmann's left hand, so that he
could instantly communicate to his mu-
sician the pianist's most delicate vari-
ations of interpretation.

Then came Hofmann a demonstra-
tion unprecedented in the history of
local symphony concerts. He returned
quickly for his first encore, which was
Tausig's piano arrangement of Schu-
mann's celebrated song, "The Smug-
gler." The applause redoubled, and
after a short delay he bracketed in an-
other encore Schumann's "Romance"
and "Intermezzo."

Thunderous Hand Clapping.
The handclapping became thunderous,
and again Hofmann took his seat at
the piano, this time to play Liszt's "Cam-
panella" in so brilliant a style as to
make one feel he had never before truly
heard this familiar tour de force of the
pianist.

Now the applause reverberated to the
roof and Hofmann yielded a fourth
time, bringing his triumph to a con-
clusion with Mendelssohn's "Spinning
Song." As he himself said, his recep-
tion last night was one of the most
gratifying events in his career, and
filled him with pleasure in anticipat-
ing his engagement with the St. Louis
Symphony Orchestra next season.

Imperial as was Hofmann's playing, it
was far from sending the orchestra's
part of the program into eclipse. In
arranging the concert Damrosch dis-
played his justly celebrated skill as a
program maker. He began with a sym-
phony never before heard here, the
first, in G minor, by Sergei Kalinikov,
known as "The Russian Mozart," who
died in 1900 at the age of 34, but not be-
fore he had established himself as one
of the most gifted of the new Slavic
school of composers. It was a spirited
work, absorbingly interesting from be-
ginning to end, full of fresh and healthy
inspiration, and very national in style.
It was gloriously interpreted by Da-
mrosch and his men.

opera written by an American, "Cyrano
de Bergerac."
The program came to an end with
three compositions by the talented
young Australian, Percy Grainger, "Mol-
ly on the Shore," "Irish Tune From
County Derry," and "Shepherd's Hey."
Damrosch is the godfather of Grainger's
works in this country, having been the
first to introduce them to American
audiences.

To severe classicists the first and
third might have seemed too "low-
browed" for a symphony concert, for
they are based on lively fiddle tunes

and appeal to the toes more than to the
soul, whatever that may be. But to
many their liveliness made them suit-
able for sending the audience away re-
freshed instead of fatigued, thus afford-
ing another instance of Damrosch's can-
niness as a maker of programs. The
"Irish Tune" was a highly poetic work,
beautifully interpreted. The three were
very cleverly orchestrated by Grainger
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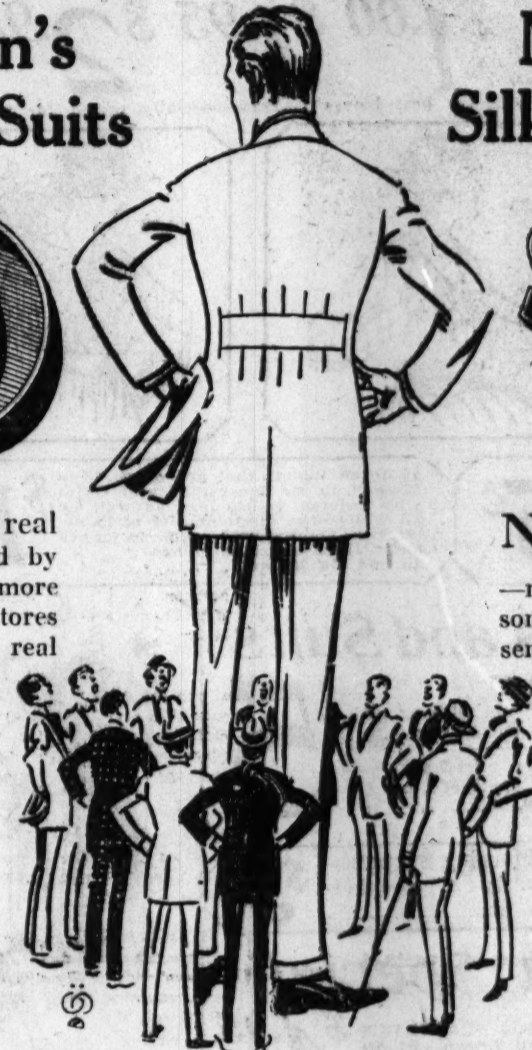
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SOCIETY

TOMORROW afternoon the first of the series of much-heralded garden teas at the Arches, the Frank E. Kauffman place in Webster Groves, will be given.

The Arches, one of the prettiest estates in the county, boasts a Japanese garden, where tea will be served by a number of young girls in costume. The grounds around the house are unusually fine and after the tea were planned, several months ago, the garden and flowering shrubs were planted especially with a view to enhancing the setting for the entertainments given at each of the four teas on four consecutive Saturdays.

The hours will be from 2 to 7 o'clock. A platform has been erected for the dancing; there will be a "Maison Elegante," where all kinds of boudoir caps and fancy articles will be on sale; the playhouse that belonged to Miss Emily Kauffman will be turned into a "Dutch" market, with fresh vegetables, flowers, fresh eggs and country products.

The entertainment tomorrow will include a number of children in a spring dance, with Willard Bartlett Jr. as the spirit of spring. Marjorie Wolf will do a dance of all nations and a number of young women dressed in the costume of various nations will take part in another dance.

The teas are the most elaborate affairs for charity that have been planned for some time and as many persons from town as from Webster and Kirkwood are interested in them and will take part in the entertainments.

J. Bond Francisco of California, accompanied by Mrs. Francisco, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. Kurtzsearn of 323 West Pine boulevard.

Mrs. Francisco was a former resident of St. Louis, being the daughter of the late Judge Louis Gottschalk.

The Bay View Reading Club will hold its last meeting of the season at the home of Mrs. James Bell Dobyns, 6006 West Cabanne place, Monday, May 1, 1 o'clock. The 41 members of the club have accepted the invitation to luncheon. A resume of the club's work during 1915-16 will be given, and the new year-books will be distributed. Following are the officers: President, Mrs. John Reinhardt; first vice president, Mrs. Charles L. Brown; second vice president, Mrs. W. B. Greenleaf; recording secretary, Mrs. James A. Stansbury; corresponding secretary, Mrs. W. W. Milne; treasurer, Miss Annie Ewing; auditor, Mrs. W. P. Nelson; historian, Mrs. Charlotte Buchanan; director, Mrs. Harry G. Nick.

Mr. and Mrs. I. R. Kelso and their daughter, Miss Ruth Kelso, have returned to their home at the Hamilton Hotel after a week's visit to Cape Girardeau, Mo. Miss Verna Day, who accompanied them, returned home with them.

Mrs. E. K. Weatherby of the Hamilton Hotel is entertaining her mother, Mrs. Kolby of Memphis, Tenn., for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ryan of 1111 Maple avenue will depart Monday for a 10 days' visit in Washington, D. C. Before returning they will also visit in Cleveland, O.

A. E. Rose of Cincinnati, O., will spend Sunday with his sister, Miss E. Rose of 2725 Cook avenue, and his mother, 91 years of age. A dinner will be given at the home of Mrs. C. Dring, niece of Mrs. B. Rose.

A dramatic reading will be given by Miss Annie Theres Davaut at the Cabanne M. E. Church, South, Bartmer and Goodfellow avenues, this evening, for the benefit of the Woman's Missionary Society.

The marriage of Miss Florence E. Glover, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Glover of 411 Lindell boulevard, to Frank W. Swatek of 111 Oregon avenue will take place Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Matthew's Catholic Church.

The bride's sister, Miss Grace Glover, will be the bridesmaid and Martin Swatek will be best man for his brother. After the ceremony there will be a breakfast for the nearest relatives at the home of the bride and in the evening from 8 to 11 o'clock there will be a reception. Mr. Swatek and his bride will be at home at 3846 McRee avenue after June 1.

Mrs. M. J. Heller and Mrs. William C. Wright are in charge of a euchre party which will be held at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Grand avenue and Olive street, Saturday afternoon. The euchre is for the benefit of the Sisters of the Good Shepherd of Normandy.

Busy Bee Bakery Special This Week.
French Butter Ring Coffee Cake, 15c ea.

MUTINY ON DUTCH WARSHIPS

300 Sailors Leave Battle Craft at Batavia, Java.

AMSTERDAM, May 12.—Mutiny has broken out on board three Dutch battleships at Java, according to dispatches from Batavia to the Telegram.

Three hundred sailors deserted the ships and paraded the streets of Weltevreden, a suburb of Batavia. The soldiers of the garrison captured 60 of the mutineers, who have been punished.

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BROWNS MUST BEAT FIREBALL KING TO AVOID LAST PLACE

Fielder Jones' Hitless Hurlings Are Facing Two Calamities Today.

MILLER IS ONLY HITTER

In Six Games Abroad, Pratt Is Batting .417 and Sisler Only .154.

By J. E. Wray,

Washington, May 12.—Fielder Jones and his Browns face two calamities, this afternoon. One is Walter Johnson, who burns the ball across the old pan faster than the eyes of most batters can follow; the other is last place in the American League race, on the brink of which the club now hovers. In the minds of many, confronting the first is merely the lead up to the second, for if the Browns are beaten today while the Athletics win, its back in our old cellar home for us, who dreamed of pennants for the season began.

It's tough, Bo.

A pleasant prospect that awaits the team is the probable appearance of President Woodrow Wilson at the game. No official notice that he will attend has been given, but the lure of Walter Johnson has caught even the chief of the nation, who is wont to attend games when the Coffeyville artillery is on the firing line.

Griff to Use Johnson.

Yesterday afternoon it was said that Griffith, having won again from the Browns, through the instrumentality of Pitcher Bert Gallia, scores 2-4, would use Walter Johnson to stop the Detroit club instead of using him today. But this possibility was denied by those in touch with Old Fox Griffith.

This may or may not be pleasant news for Jim Park, the Kentucky State University right-hander, who has been named for a place in the sun as Johnson's opponent on the hill. Sending a "scout" pitcher against Johnson is something like asking a corporal's guard to take Verdun. But James is a young man of heart and head. And when we say head we mean a mere headband. A cool, level-headed young fellow, this Kentuckian, with the wit of a world's champion wrestler and an abundance of good stuff. He displayed it in finishing out five innings of the game almost lost by Groom and Davenport, in the first appearance of the Browns at Washington.

There is not much punch to the Washington club; at least there is not "good night" wallop of the Speaker-Crawford Cobb sort. And if the Browns can only supply Park with one or two "good night" pitches, the Browns may have any easy time taking the final game of the series.

But right the other way, it is the Browns who are not run manufacturers. At least, not to the present time. First-class pitching by Ronsdale and left hand stripe has stopped the Browns and left them at the mercy of the "breaks."

Shotton Continues to "Boot."

It was this want of a punch that cost them a game yesterday, when two runs in the first inning, one of them due to a coming weakness of Bert Shotton on ground balls, assisted by wide breaking curves of right hander Bert Gallia, held them safe.

The fatal round, men, was about as follows: Williams opened unsteadily and passed Morgan. Foster rapped one in short left which Shotton started in to catch and too late fell back to take it on the bounce. It slipped over his head and a triple and the first run was across.

Had Shotton been more fortunate, Morgan would have been home on the second base drive have gone for but a single. As it was there was a tally home and another on a fly ball hitting on third base. It did not wait long. An infield out was followed by a long sacrifice fly by Ronsdale and Foster came home with run No. 2, and the bacon. For that ended the scoring on either side.

Wellman was threatened once or twice later, but tightened up in all pinches.

Didn't Deserve to Win.

As for the Browns, Bert Gallia was an 18-karat mystery throughout. It was not until the sixth inning that a Brownie made a hit. Then, with two down and Ernie Johnson on first due to a pass, Ward Miller smote a clean ball that put the first run in.

In order to amount to much the Browns have got to keep hitting with four hits and whenever they have faced good twirling Jones' attack has collapsed like an opera hat. But don't surrender here, men. Look at the dope over and the what hit look say. Here are the batting figures for the regular hitters since the club started on the road:

PLAYER AB R H Pct.
Shotton 28 3 10 .357
Miller 21 3 10 .476
Sisler 26 4 10 .385
Pratt 26 4 10 .385
Morgan 26 4 10 .385
Deal 26 4 10 .385
Hartley 18 2 4 .222

This means a team batting mark of .331, or 15 points below the average which the club finished the season with last year.

The dope also points out that much can be expected of a club whose clean-up hitter is swinging like a nature's lightning bolt an average of .117, and five of whose other regulars are hitting consistently below their normal rate.

Manager Jones is patient about his hitters and expects them to come across again. In the meantime, the lack of a man who can put the ball in play and start a hitting streak is costing the club games. The team is getting more anxious watching to win most of its contests.

Lindsay Tackles Williams.

Jack Lindsay and Jack Williams are scheduled to box tonight in the main event of the downtown show at the Casino Club. They are heavyweights, and the fight is expected to be a close one. Lindsay is a former champion and Williams is a former contender.

Layton Trounces Mueller.

John Layton, world's pocket billiard champion, defeated the much younger Layton last night for his home in Sedalia, Mo.

PENNY ANTE: The Wife "Horns In"

By Jean Knott



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SPORT SALAD BY J. E. Wray

The Revue.

The weather was hazy But Huggins was crazy To get at those Phillies again; The game was no fizzle In spite of the drizzle That threatened a deluge of rain. The rosters assembled Were leary and trembled For Leon (Kalamity) Ames; But Ames the Plucky Unfurling and Unfurling Pitched one of his very best games.

The Phillies outthit us But couldn't outpitch us; They got the short end of the score, Incipient rallies Got Patsy three tallies—The Cardinals total was four. Jack Smith made a homer, A lovely blue-dome That fell in the seats out in right; Then cracked a three-bagger That caused 'em to stagger And put Moran's Phillies to flight.

It gives us great pleasure To take the Phil's measure In spite of our love for Moran; But duty impels us, In fact it compels us To root for the Cardinal clan. The Browns were defeated When Griffith repeated His feat of the previous day. Our downtrodden heroes Are rolling up zeros In quite a remarkable way.

Mayhem. F ILLUSTRATIVELY speaking, Hank O'Day hit Bert Niehoff's nose off yesterday in reply to Bert's protest on being retired on a tap in front of the plate. Niehoff emerged from the verbal contest with no more nose than a rabbit. And a rabbit isn't very much on an angle worm in the matter of nasal equipment.

The next time Niehoff has anything to say to Hank, he'd better say it mentally. Hank doesn't take kindly to rebuttal.

That wallop of Smith's nearly hit the crowd in the right field pavilion on the beam. He ducked just in time.

Shotton Handles Ground Balls Like Debutante Would Bouquet of Onions

WASHINGTON, May 12.—GROUND BALL sent to Bert Shotton just now is fully as welcome as a bouquet of onions sent to a debutante. Bert just can't get right for the pesky things. Since the trip began six of the pests have given Bert trouble and made extra work for the pitchers. When Shotton's batting average reached normal, his fielding game will probably come back with it. At that Bert the Barber is trimming the enemy's batting average by some fine catches.

Charles Deal's little hitting bubble blew yesterday, punctured by Bert. Up to Thursday's game Chuck had made a hit in every contest since leaving St. Louis. He was all alone in his glory, too. But he lost his halo when he went hitless yesterday.

James Has His Say. Manager Jones gathered his clan about him in the club house, following Wednesday's defeat, and tipped his flock a few reminders that small plumes favorably be thanked received and larger ones in proportion. He was all alone in his glory, too. But he lost his halo when he went hitless yesterday.

Johnnie Tobin's chance of breaking into the field grew dimmer as he went. Ward Miller's hitting continues. Ward was credited with two yesterday; but one of the safes was purely a fluke. He drove him home, more than a dozen, close to his left. The ball hit his glove, slid down, and bounced right out on its way. Johnson was the most surprised man on the field.

Ernie Johnson's error on Gallia's liner was scored a hit by some of the press box. It was a straight drive on which Johnson got both hands without having to move more than a dozen steps to his left. The ball hit his glove, slid down, and bounced right out on its way. Johnson was the most surprised man on the field.

As a matter of fact, Jones is rather sweet on the temper his men display

Every time Leon Ames wins a game for the Cardinals Buck Herzog and Johnny McGraw exchange letters of condolence. The correspondence is growing quite voluminous.

Leo Meadows started something among the Cardinal pitchers when he tore off that "titanic" triple on Wednesday. Just show Mr. Meadows that he was not the only four-leaf clover in the patch. Leon Ames took unto himself a similar swat yesterday.

If those boys keep up that sort of thing Bill Dook will feel impelled to hoist one into the left field bleachers. When that comes off watch old Sal.

Wings Clipped.

Pol Peritt won a game at last for the Giants. Pol hasn't been flying very high since deserting the banner of Huggins.

The Senators got two runs in the first inning and then played "Jones" ball the rest of the way.

The Browns are getting some swell pitching but their batting lamps need reburnishing. Jones is getting together quite a collection of goose eggs. Ought to sit on 'em and see if he can't hatch a run.

Nothing but Nothing. Funny thing about zeros. You can add 'em up till you're blue in the face and the only result you get is zero.

As long as the Senators have a Judge working for them they are reasonably certain of getting the verdict. Fielder Jones denies the report that he will add Gus the Barber to his strategy board. Fielder says the Browns get no more nose than a rabbit. And a rabbit isn't very much on an angle worm in the matter of nasal equipment.

Washington has cut the price of reserved seats from \$10.00 to six bits. He is advising the Browns for a remnant sale.

The Browns will probably get Walter Johnson today. It is also quite within the range of possibility that Walter Johnson will get the Browns.

Speaker Is Hitting. This Speaker should worry what matters he bats against. This hit .500 against the West and now facing the hurler of the Red Sox for the first time in his career, except in practice, he has compiled a mark of .500 for three games, getting five hits in 10 tries to the plate.

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JOE BUSH WINS 4 GAMES FOR MACK; KAUFF TOPS COBB

Bold Benjamin Is Stepping Out With .304, While Tyus Is Doing Only .282.

While the record of the Athletics to date is not very impressive, it probably would be much worse if Connie Mack did not own a pitcher named Joe Bush. Bush is the veteran of the Athletics hurling corps and right now he's also the best. He has been returned the winner in his last four games, which give him just one-half of the victories for the club.

The right-hander, who stood up under the world's series fire, a few seasons back, started by losing his first three contests, all of them to the Red Sox. In the three battles he lost, two of them were by one-run margins, while his mates counted just three tallies in the 27 frames. In the 31 innings he has pitched he has been scored upon 13 times. His record:

DATE	Opponent	R	H	Inn.
April 12—Boston	2	3	6
April 13—Boston	2	3	6
April 20—Boston	4	4	1
April 26—Washington	2	4	9
May 1—New York	2	4	9
May 2—New York	2	4	9
May 6—Washington	1	4	9
Totals	13	34	48

The Athletics won a game from the Tigers yesterday, 3-2, but Bush did not pitch. Elmer Myers was on the hill for the Mac-men and allowed all to three hits. Burns, the Jungler first sacker, made all of Bush's record.

Myers' third victory of the season. Hits by Burns, Burns, Burns for the Mac-men in the ninth frame.

No Way to Figure It.

There's no telling just what sort of a batting order Connie Mack will set against the Athletics today. All the switching is done around Willie Schang. One day Schang bats eighth, the next he's liable to be in the clean-up position. The Athletics' leader had him hitting second. The catcher gets his bingles no matter in what place he bats.

A high wind, which carried a fly from Jack Barry's bat into the stands, after it looked as though it would be foul, counted three runs and three hits for the Reds. Kauff is now .250 against the Cardinals and .250 against the Browns. He is now .250 against the Cardinals and .250 against the Browns.

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DILLON'S MANAGER SIGNS FOR BOUT WITH MORAN

NEW YORK, May 12.—Sam Marburger, manager for Jack Dillon, the Indianapolis Lightweight, has signed articles of agreement with an amusement club here for an open air bout with Frank Moran, the Pittsburgh heavyweight. It was announced today that Moran has not yet signed to fight Dillon, and his manager has Moran wants to fight Fred Fulton before making a match with the Indianapolis man.

There is a clause in the agreement with Dillon providing that if Moran refuses to fight him the promoters shall be permitted to name another opponent. Dillon is to receive \$10,000 with an option of 25 per cent of the gross receipts. It is proposed to hold the fight some time between May 30 and July 5.

Although the A. A. U. officials held a meeting early in the week looking for a date for the Western district championship, which are almost sure to be decided at the A. A. U. track, no other club having put in a bid for the meet. It is not known whether this will be decided. It is not known whether this will be decided.

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C. A. C. ATHLETES SEEK REVENGE IN ROAD RUN JUNE 4

Southsiders Training Hard to Beat M. A. A. "Combine" in 10-Mile Event.

The next event of any interest to the local A. A. C. athletes will be the 10-mile marathon to be staged by the Columbian A. C. on June 4. This is one of the two long-distance races staged by the Tangled C each season. A regulation marathon will come later in the season, probably the first week in September.

When the South Side 10-mile race is run it will be a great deal between the Tangled C and the M. A. A. The South Side honors have a "bone to pick" with the Cherry Diamond distance stars and they are out to clean up. It will be remembered that in the M. A. A. cross-country run two weeks ago the Fourth street club's runners, just naturally swept the boards, taking one, two and three, with Bill A. Bantle and Rette Levi Asakainen, John Probst and Jake Kaysing, the Tangled C stars, fell down badly in the run, but they are training faithfully and are out to clean up in the coming event.

Same M. A. A. Entries. Practically the same field of runners that took part in the cross-country will start in the June 4 race. It will be Irwin Biel, who won the cross-country; J. Bantle, Rette, A. Bantle, Bill Matthews, Christy Burns and Henry Levinson for the Cherry Diamond.

Freddy Fitzgerald will come back with Levi Asakainen, John Probst, Jake Kaysing, C. Bricker, Edelman and probably Fongster Edwards, who was unable to compete in the run two weeks ago. There is a chance that Gene Murray also will be started by the South Side coach. This race, the C. A. C. 10-mile marathon, a meet to be started by the Tangled C probably in September and the Western district championship will be the only athletic events of the season for the local club-having put in a bid for the meet. It is not known whether this will be decided. It is not known whether this will be decided.

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LAST NIGHT'S FIGHTS

Hamilton, O.—K. O. Doty and Geo. Lewis, 12-round draw. Joe Scanlon stopped Eddie Anderson, two rounds. Sammy Dwyer and Philo O'Dowd, six-round draw. Deane Jack Gey and Carl Ham-baud, 10-round draw.

San Antonio, Tex.—Tommy Gary knocked out Young Donahue, three rounds.

Sydney, Aus.—Leo Darcy got 20-round decision over George K. O. Brown.

Providence, R. I.—Silent Martin was awarded unpopular 15-round decision over Joe Borrali.

Philadelphia—Al Nelson beat Willie Hannon, six rounds. Bobby McLean beat Whitey Fitzgerald, six rounds. Tommy Jamison stopped George Kamoldi, three rounds. Jack Brady knocked out Tighe White, two rounds. Jack Denley stopped Frank Hogan, one round.

Denver—Jimmy Duffy of Lockport, N. Y., knocked out Young Abe Attell, three rounds.

Athletic Moguls Urge \$1,500,000 Appropriations for a National Stadium

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Several widely known friends of amateur athletics were here today to appear before the House Appropriations Committee on behalf of the Hulton bill to provide \$1,500,000 for the construction of a national stadium in one of the local parks along the Potomac river. The list of speakers included Mayor Thompson of Chicago, Barlow E. West, former President of the Amateur Athletic Union, and George Turner, President of the Union, of New York. Plans are under way to hold the 1926 Olympic games in the stadium if it is erected.

Omaha Lands O'Toole.

Marty O'Toole, who won the Prime a small fortune a few years ago, but proved a loser, yesterday was sold to the Omaha (Western League) club by the Columbus club of the American Association. The pitcher will report to his new mates at once.

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The Browns Are Giving the Fans the Blues

Cardinals Are Beginning to Act Like the "Indians" of the National League

Hug's Men Are Upsetting the Dope in the Parent Body as Successfully as Cleveland Is in the American—Two Games Out of First Place.

By W. J. O'Connor.

"WELL," said a crimson-faced Cardinal fan without a heart, after yesterday's game, "what do you and the rest of those 'skulls' in the press box think of the relative merits of the Browns and Cardinals now?"

If the writer felt any particular joy after that verbal dum-dum bullet had pierced his thought tower he succeeded in concealing it. Not even a permanent assignment in the trenches at Plattsburgh could yield as much net monetary as the hopeless effort of a baseball writer to explain to false friends his failure to make baseball dope run true to form.

It's a season of upsets, for if there ever was unanimity in preseason estimates of the pennant race eventualities it was based on the belief that Cleveland in the American League and the Cardinals in the National would always be within speaking distance of last place. And look at them now!

No Telling What Will Happen.

The Cardinals aren't behaving one bit better than the Indians. They're climbing up there in short takes, but they're showing more genuine vitality every day and it would only be another fatuous error to place any limitations on their possibilities.

Things have developed at Robison Field lately in a most favorable way. Jack Smith has begun to hit and his triple and home run yesterday were complete refutation of the theory that he couldn't pole 'em long. If he starts hitting them any longer it will take a brave man to risk his life on Sullivan avenue between 3 and 4 o'clock. Smithy will not risk with a line drive.

Becher has been rejuvenated. Bob the Speedster has shown more pep since the Federal League died of inanition than he did in three years previous.

The Rejuvenation of Bob B.

He's hitting and taking more chances on the bases than an American on the Mexican border. It was fine baseball yesterday when he tried for third on Smithy's out at first even though he was nipped. It took a perfect throw by Luderus to get him and such throws are the exception, rather than the rule.

Jack Smith's Hitting Helps Ames to Victory; Mayer vs. Jasper Today

JOHN SMITH—one of the well-known Chicago Smiths—set out yesterday to become one of the Hittsmiths of the National League. John hunted one into the right-field four-bit seats on his first appearance at the plate and laid another against the right-field wall in the third inning. He scored two runs and was the fly in the Phillie ointment for the Cardinals.

Cardinals just did manage to win, 4-3, although they were outbatted, 8-5.

Smith collaborated with Leon Kalamity Ames in acquiring the third successive conquest for the Cardinals, a victory that puts the local pony ball right up there, two games from the top. Ames was as effective as Chalmers in the matter of hits, but Ames was more the master and he deserved to win.

Ames Fanned the Side.

Eliminate the errors made by Hornsby and Corhan in the fifth frame and Ames would have escaped with only one run being scored. That was an earned affair in the sixth when Paskert doubled and scored on Eldon Burns' single. In the fifth, Hornsby's low throw gave Stock life. Corhan kicked Bancroft's grounder when he had a possible double play and two runners on. Then Whitely singled and Cravath sacrificed and two runners were over the old par. That was all, however. Ames fanned Cravath in the first and ninth with men on. Ames whiffed three men in the first inning, besides walking two.

The Phil continues to wear a funeral "fun." They ain't got the old pop. He Rogers Hornsby announced yesterday and that about about about about about yesterday was No. 10 in a fun that doesn't promise to stop until Alexander goes in there and knocks somebody off.

Alexander is not booked to ring today, although Moran may shift his plan. It was Moran's scheme to use Mayer this afternoon and save Alexander to open and close the Cincinnati series. Last season the Reds caused the Phil to have trouble as a club in the league. So Patricio is playing the precedent.

In spite of the threatening weather a fair-sized crowd was on hand about 3,000 if the Cards can whip the champions again today they would pull in big at the gate tomorrow. They deserve support for their work just now. They're fighting and winning, although the pitching is not what might be expected.

It never fails! When all the pen-pushers hand out columns about the recipient, invariably comes back with a bad game. Roy Corhan was not near so good yesterday although he still demeans himself like a star. He made a costly boot on Bancroft.

Mack's Shortstop a "Find."

Lawton Witt is the name of a diminutive, shortstop uncovered by Connie Mack and now a resident of many columns in the East. He's destined to make the fans forget Jack Barry, Eastern writer.

The Athletics are beginning to tie themselves after a dismal start, and when McKinley, who is now hitting 100, and Oldring, who is hitting likewise 100, find their eyes, watch C. Mack's smoke.

When Bill Killefer fanned Bob Becher on an attempted steal in the eighth inning yesterday there were snobs of "What a fine old boy," from the Phillie players. They want to see the pride of Pay-Paw get in there and do his share toward the great Philadelphia uplift, now being neglected.

Clark Griffith is ready to cut the string on Eddie Alsinth, the big catcher, but he refuses to let him remain in the American League. He's destined to block the deal, refusing to waive Alsinth out of the American League. Griffith says he will keep Eddie rather than strengthen the Yanks.

Today's Schedule.

NATIONAL LEAGUE:

Boston at Chicago, cloudy; 8 p. m.

New York at Pittsburgh, clear; 8:15 p. m.

Philadelphia at St. Louis, 3:30 p. m.

Brooklyn at Cincinnati, cloudy; 8 p. m.

AMERICAN LEAGUE:

Chicago at New York, clear; 3:30 p. m.

Detroit at Philadelphia, clear; 3:30 p. m.

Brown at Washington, clear; 3:30 p. m.

Cleveland at Boston, clear; 3:15 p. m.

Cardinals Make 12 Doubles, 9 Triples, 1 Homer in 7 Games

SINCE inaugurating their last stand at home, the Cardinals have treated the local populace to some prodigious pokes.

Their collection of hits in seven games, embraces 12 doubles, nine triples and one home run. The two-baggers were made by: Miller, Oldring, 2; Gonzales, 2; and Hornsby, Corhan, Beck and Long one each.

Triples were trounced by: Becher, 2; Snyder, 2; Betzel, Beck, Meadows, Ames and Smith.

The one home run is accredited to Smith, who has just come out of a batting slump and fears no pitcher alive. Bring on Alexander!

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TODAY'S IF TABLE

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

1915. CLUB. W. L. Pct. Win. Loss.

455 Brooklyn 11 5 .688 709 .947

501 Boston 11 5 .647 691 .911

519 Chicago 12 10 .550 693 .842

485 Cincinnati 12 10 .543 595 .722

525 Philadelphia 8 10 .444 474 .421

458 Pittsburgh 8 10 .444 474 .421

333 New York 5 10 .333 276 .216

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

1915. CLUB. W. L. Pct. Win. Loss.

458 Cleveland 16 9 .640 674 .815

455 Washington 16 9 .591 670 .763

519 New York 12 12 .500 593 .662

492 Detroit 12 12 .500 520 .480

458 Boston 12 14 .460 483 .444

500 Chicago 12 14 .460 483 .444

458 BROWNS 8 13 .385 400 .384

458 Philadelphia 8 14 .364 381 .346

*Percentage of teams on same date last year.

Yesterday's Results.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Cardinals 4-3, Philadelphia 3-1. Batteries: Ames and Snyder; Chalmers, McQuillan and Burns; Killefer.

Chicago 2-0, Boston 1-0. Batteries: Vaughn and Archer; Rudolph, Ragan and Gowdy.

Cincinnati 3-0, Brooklyn 2-0. (13 innings). Batteries: Toney and Wingo, Clark; Chesser, Smith and Miller.

New York 2-2, Pittsburgh 2-3. Batteries: Ferritt, Stroud and Doot; Kantiher and Wilson.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Washington 2-0, Browns 0-0. Batteries: Gallia and Henry; Wellman, Davenport and Severid.

Philadelphia 3-0, Detroit 2-3. Batteries: Myers and Schanz; Covaleski, Dubuc and Stanger.

New York 2-1, Chicago 1-0. Batteries: Cullop and Walters; Faber and Schalk.

Boston 0-0, Cleveland 5-0. (10 innings). Batteries: Shore, Mays and Cady; Arner; Mitchell, Hagerman, Baby and O'Neil.

No More Referee's Decisions in Kansas City Bouts; Boxers Object

Promoters Find That Fighters Demand Exorbitant Prices When They Are Obligated to Risk Their Reputations—Easy Money Sought.

By Harry S. Sharpe,

Referee for the Future City Athletic Club and the Post-Dispatch's Boxing Authority.

It is said that referee decisions are to be abolished at Kansas City, not because they are prohibited or considered detrimental to the sport, but because the promoters claim that it is almost impossible to induce first-class boxers to come there and risk their reputations as the result of an official decision, unless they are paid an exorbitant amount for their services and the hazard.

There was a time when boxers were willing to take some of the chances, but the better they are now the less chance they seem willing to take.

Most of the good ones want guarantees, and generally add a clause in the agreement providing that they be given the option of taking a percentage of the gross receipts in the event that it turns out to be more than the guarantee. The promoter taking the risk these days is the promoter, and should be, by reason of being a good manager and advertiser and exceptionally fortunate, secure a good attendance at his show he is obliged to divide the results of his personal efforts with the boxers. This would be all right if the boxers would guarantee to do their part in making the show a success, but all most of them do to appear, go through with their bout, and get the money. Some of them earn it; many do not.

Boxers who give the public a run for their money are worth all that can be paid them within reason, and if the promoter is known to be doing all he can to make the show a success the boxer is entitled to a fair share of what he can draw at the gate, but no more. Conditions must govern, and in cities where only limited-round, no-decision bouts are permitted it is up to the boxers to co-operate with the promoters on a fair basis. Many promoters, in their efforts to build up an attendance by staging first-class shows, find themselves facing a deficit because of the exorbitant sums they have been obliged to pay the performers.

Few Earn Their Money.

Restrictions thrown about the boxing game is making it easier for the boxer, but harder for the promoter. The work of the boxer is much easier now than it was years ago, but he is getting more for it. He is no longer obliged to furnish a side bet, through a hard grind of training and entering a contest with no end in view. Instead, all the money involved is paid by the promoter, he does enough training to get himself in reasonably good condition, and then boxes a limited number of rounds, and where no decision is given, he has not lost for his reputation.

Many men are making a good living as boxers now who could not have withstood the grueling involved years ago.

The Business Men's Club of Granite City, Ill., announces a boxing show for Saturday night. Among the boxers to appear will be Larry English, former World champion, and Jack Clement of St. Paul, in the main event; Bluzer, John Kay and Ivan Chandler in the semi-final, while Al Sher-man and Gene Brown, both of Yonkers, will box the preliminary. Grillo will provide the preliminary. Kack Dalton will officiate as referee.

You can now safely send that heavy suit to Schuck for cleaning.

McKinley Takes Dual Meet From Principia Team

Winners Land Nine Firsts in 10 Events Contested—Murchison Is Star.

Athletes representing McKinley High School won the dual track and field meet from Principia Academy yesterday on the latter campus, 59-31. The South Sliders grabbed nine firsts in the 10 events contested. McKinsie in the pole vault being the only first place winner for Principia.

One of the features of the meet was the work of Murchison, who won the 100 in 10 2-5s, and came back with 24 3-5 in the 250. Deeds was another double winner for McKinley grabbing both the 100 and 200. The work of Colvin featured for the losers.

The St. Louis U. Undergrads lanted the Cleveland team of the Intercollegiate League a 12-5 walkover.

Emerson, one of the teams contesting for the Post-Dispatch trophy in the Public School League, was trounced, 11-5, by the C. C. Arcadians yesterday.

Clayton High walked Wellington High, 4-1, in the dual track and field meet yesterday. Lindsey was the one outstanding star for the losers.

Maplewood High walked St. Charles High yesterday, 4-1. Report of the winners allowed four hits and fanned 11 in seven frames.

JAMERSON CLOTHES SHOPS

This New Plan of Clothes Selling

Has Saved Thousands of Dollars for Discriminating Buyers in St. Louis During the Past Two Years:—

Discriminating clothes buyers, by their patronage, have built the smallest clothes shop in St. Louis into one of the world's largest distributors of \$18, \$20 and \$25 Suits and Topcoats at one price of \$15—with

A Successful Shop in St. Louis.

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Of Course, There's a Reason

This New Plan—

Does away with useless expense because of

—Second Floor Shops—No High Rents.

—No Credit Accounts—No Bookkeepers and No Bad Debts.

—No Free Delivery Service.

—No Window Dressers or Floorwalkers.

—No Early Season High Prices to cover later "reductions."

—One Fixed Price—ALWAYS \$15.

The Old Way—

Meant enormous cost of doing business, due to

—High Rents for ground-floor stores.

—Credit Accounts, with expensive office force and bad debts.

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—Floorwalkers, Window Trimmers, Fine Fixtures and other expenses—all for appearance.

You Save the Difference

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for Quarter-lined English Suits.

Silk-Lined Walking Coats and Vests

Silk-Lined Topcoats

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Shots Fired Over Mexican Crowd.
EL PASO, Tex., May 12.—Eight men of the provost guard fired over the heads of a jeering crowd of Mexicans last night in Chihuahua, a district of the city inhabited by few except Mexicans. The squad—patrolling soldiers—was fired.

Astonishing Power of Iron to Give Strength to Broken Down, Nervous People

Physician Says Ordinary Nuxated Iron Will Increase Strength of Delicate Folk 200 Per Cent in Two Weeks' Time in Many Instances.

In a recent discourse, Dr. E. Sauer, a well-known specialist, has stated widely both in this country and Europe, said: "If you were to make an actual blood test on all people who are ill you would probably be greatly astonished at the exceedingly large number who lack iron and who are ill for no other reason than the lack of iron. The moment iron is supplied all their multitude of dangerous symptoms disappear. Without iron the blood at once loses the power to change food into living tissue, and therefore nothing you eat does you any good; you don't get the strength out of it. Your food merely passes through your system like corn through a mill with the rollers so wide apart that the mill can't grind. As a result of this continuous blood and nerve starvation, people become generally weakened, nervous and all run down, and frequently develop all sorts of conditions. One is too thin; another is burdened with unhealthy fat; some are so weak they can hardly walk; some think they have dyspepsia, kidney or liver trouble; some can't sleep at night; others are sleepy and tired all day; some fussy and irritable; some skinny and bloodless, but all lack physical power and endurance. In such cases it is worse than foolishness to take stimulating medicines or narcotic drugs, which only whip up your fading vital power for the moment, maybe at the expense of

your life later on. No matter what anyone tells you, if you are not strong and well you owe it to yourself to make the following test: See how long you can work or how far you can walk without becoming tired. Next take two five-grain tablets of ordinary nuxated iron three times per day after meals for two weeks. Then test your strength again and see for yourself how much you have gained. I have seen dozens of nervous run-down people who were ailing all the time double and triple their strength and endurance and entirely get rid of their symptoms of dyspepsia, liver and other trouble in from ten to fourteen days' time simply by taking iron in the proper form, and this, after they had in some cases been doctoring for months without obtaining any benefit. You can talk as you please about all the wonders wrought by new remedies, but when you come down to hard facts, there is nothing like good old iron to put color in your cheeks and good sound, healthy flesh on your bones. It is also a great nerve and stomach strengthener and the best blood-builder in the world. The only trouble was that the old form of iron, like tincture of iron, iron sulfate, etc., often ruined people's teeth, frequently did more harm than good. But with the discovery of the newer forms of organic iron all this has been overcome. Nuxated iron, for example, is pleasant to take, does not hurt the teeth, and is almost immediately beneficial.

NOTE.—The manufacturers of Nuxated Iron have such unbounded confidence in its potency that they authorize the announcement that they will forfeit \$100,000 to any charitable institution if they cannot take any man or woman under sixty who lacks iron and increase their strength 200 per cent or over in four weeks' time, provided they have no serious organic trouble. Also they will refund your money in any case in which Nuxated Iron does not at least double your strength in ten days' time. It is dispensed in this city by Judge & Polch Drug Co., Wolf-Wilman Drug Co., Johnson-Enderle-Parish Drug Co. and all other druggists.—ADV.

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DAUES FINDS ALDERMEN MAY AMEND THREE TERMINAL BILLS

Provides for \$3 Charge for Each Free Bridge Car Using 1000-Foot Strip.

The Board of Aldermen was notified today by City Counselor Daues that it has power to amend any of the three terminal bills which were prepared by the Board of Public Service.

There is general opposition to a clause in bill 2, which leaves the way open for the Terminal Association to charge \$3 for each passenger car that uses a 1000-foot strip of track in getting from the municipal free bridge approach at Eighth and Gratiot streets, to the Twelfth street yard of the Terminal.

Aldermen attempted to have the bill killed at its introduction, on the theory that it was a Board of Public Service bill and therefore could not be amended by the Aldermen under a provision of the new city charter.

The measures were prepared jointly by the Service Board and officials of the Terminal Association in conference. The Service Board members formally approved the form of each, but did not transmit them to the Aldermen as official board bills. They were introduced by Aldermen at the request of Service Board members. One measure provides for the transfer of levee tracks from the Terminal to the city, and the third would vacate streets in the Ranken tract for the convenience of the Terminal Association.

"Sunday Is Mother's Day."
Our "Mother's Day" Special contains 10 Roses and 10 Carnations, \$1.85. Grimm & Gorley.

WAGONS COLLECTED 175 LOADS OF RUBBISH YESTERDAY

Vacant Lot Committee of Clean-Up Campaign Gets Many Tracts to Offer for Improvement.

The Clean-Up Committee of the "Clean-Up-and-Point-Up" campaign, of which Director of Streets and Sewers Talbert is chairman, is going after the dirt with a vim. The city wagons are gathering up rubbish daily from 8 a. m. until late at night. Yesterday 175 wagons on loads were gathered by the clean-up crews, as against 144 wagon loads on the same day during the clean-up campaign in 1915.

The Vacant Lot Gardens Committee is obtaining the permission of owners of vacant lots in the city to use the lots for making flower or vegetable gardens, playgrounds, tennis courts, baseball diamonds and recreation fields. Any individual, organization, Sunday school or church desiring to get a vacant lot for any of the above purposes should make known their desire by notifying Mrs. C. W. Y. B. at 715 Railway Exchange Building, chairman of the Vacant Lot Gardens Committee.

Contributions of any amount to carry on the work should be sent to John G. Lonsdale, treasurer, St. Louis Continuous Clean-Up-and-Point-Up Campaign, National Bank of Commerce.

Buy Bee Bakery Special This Week.
French Butter Ring Coffee Cake, 15c ea.

ST. LOUISANS GO TO INVITE BILLY SUNDAY TO COME HERE

Delegation Sent to Kansas City Hopes Some Other City Will Yield Booking to Let Him Accept.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., May 12.—Billy Sunday has received word that a St. Louis delegation of 50 to 100 prominent ministers and laymen of that city departed last night by special train to reach Kansas City early today. The delegation will remain here until after the meeting at the tabernacle tonight.

A strong effort will be made by these ministers and laymen to induce Sunday to make a campaign in St. Louis, although the evangelist has given it out that he is booked three years ahead and that he sees little chance to accommodate the St. Louisans.

The Rev. J. Layton Maule, pastor of the Central Presbyterian Church in St. Louis, and one of the most active in the ministerial forces in that city was at the Sunday meetings yesterday and is doing his utmost to persuade the evangelist to make the St. Louis visit.

The St. Louisans are hoping that if Sunday is willing to make a campaign there, some city under contract may be induced to yield in favor of St. Louis.

Oakes Candy Sale Fri. & Sat., 10c lb.
Choc. Bitter Sweet, Mol. Honey Nougat, Queen Coconut Dainties, 512 Locust.

DANGER WINS \$100 JUDGMENT AGAINST FORMER MANAGER

Miss Irma Biebling Testifies She Paid Oscar Condon, but He Got No Engagements for Her.

Miss Irma Biebling, professional dancer and social hostess for the Missouri Athletic association, yesterday was awarded judgment for \$100 by a jury in Justice Slater's Court against Oscar Condon, manager of the Baldwin Piano Co., 1111 Olive street, under a contract by which Condon was to obtain dancing engagements in New York for her and her dancing partner, Ray Sennberg.

Condon, whose contract was written on a letterhead which styled him as "Manager of Distinguished Artists," admitted he had been paid \$100 by Miss Biebling and said he had been unable to find engagements for her, although the contract was entered into March 2, 1914. He testified he had spent \$105 in unsuccessful attempts to find work for his client.

Miss Biebling testified that her father, William Biebling of 2458 Connecticut street, paid the \$100 for her.

10 New Zoo Animals
In McKinney's Circus. One wrapped free with each loaf of Butter-Nut Bread. Start today. Supply won't last long. Large tent for animals when collection is complete.

Luncheon Meeting Sanctioned.
NEW YORK, May 12.—Upon the ground that a crisis has been averted between the United States and Germany, the sanction of Mayor Mitchell was given yesterday to a Louisiana memorial meeting under the auspices of the American Rights Committee. The meeting is set for May 13.

Diamonds for Wedding Gifts.
Easiest terms and lowest prices in the city. Lofte Bros. & Co., 52 E. 200 N. Sixth st.

SAYS WIFE KILLED SELF TO GIVE CHILDREN INSURANCE

Husband Declares It Was His Intention to Do Likewise, but Payment Had Lapsed.

MINNEAPOLIS, May 12.—Mrs. M. J. Skoll killed herself Tuesday by hanging, that her six children might receive \$1000 life insurance according to a signed statement made by her husband, who is held pending an investigation.

Skoll, who a few years ago, lost a fortune by business reverses, declared he had planned to kill himself so that his wife and children, who were in need, might benefit by his insurance. But Mrs. Skoll, after discovering that his insurance had lapsed and that her own still was effective decided it was her duty to take her life, he said.



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Cassimere Suits 3.75

Fine Serge and

Cassimere Suits 6.75

Men's Palm Beach

Suits 2.50

Boys' Suits 35c

Men's Pants 85c

Men's, Boys' Felt and

Straw Hats; 50c and 25c

Men's Sox, Handkerchiefs 3c

Underwear, Suspenders 9c

Athletic, poros and balbrigan

Underwear, Work Shirts 19c

Fancy Percale Shirts, Sport Shirts 35c

Union Suits; balbrigan, mesh and nainsook 45c

Percale, pongee and madras Shirts 59c

Ladies' Waists, odds and ends 10c

Children's Dresses 25c

Ladies' Dresses 49c

Ladies' black satin or white chinchilla Coats \$5

Ladies' Hats almost given away.

And thousands of other good values.

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KROGER is building a reputation by selling only the finest **Fresh Fruits and Vegetables** We maintain our reputation by scouring the country for the best products that are grown, with which to fill your orders.

FRESH CUBAN PINEAPPLE Extra large, fine, ripe, sound fruit, direct from Cuba... **Each 10c**

STRAWBERRIES Delicious, rich red berries; quart box... **10c** **ASPARAGUS** Home grown, per bunch... **7c** **SPINACH** Fresh, tender, per peck... **5c**

CAULIFLOWER Sound, home grown; per head... **12c** **CUCUMBERS** Just from the garden; each... **7c** **STRING BEANS** Fresh, tender, per quart... **10c**

Home-Grown RADISHES Crisp, bunched; 3 for 5c **NEW POTATOES** Red Triumphs; per lb... **4c** **RHUBARB** Big bunches; 2 for 5c

Home-Grown LETTUCE Nice, tender leaves; 3 heads for 10c **POTATOES** Northern Rural, per peck... **25c** **LEMONS** Good size; sound, juicy; per dozen... **12c**

Forest Park Shoe Peg Corn With the flavor of fresh cut corn; No. 2 cans... **10c** **Country Gentleman** Avondale, tender, clean, sweet; No. 2 cans... **3 for 29c** **Lapel** good quality; No. 2 cans... **3 for 20c** **Country Club**; finest Maine; No. 2 cans... **3 for 35c**

TOMATOES Hereb, solid packed; No. 3 cans... **8c** **Rich red, ripe, big** Country Club, with green peppers; No. 3 cans... **10c** **Humboldt**, No. 1 can... **5c** **Gallon, nice** ripe tomatoes; gal. can... **30c** **Avondale**, extra fine soup; No. 1 can... **4c**

WIS. PEAS Daybreak, sweet Wif, No. 2 cans... **3 for 20c** **Avondale**, extra sifted, No. 2 cans... **10c** **Country Club**, sifted; No. 2 cans... **2 for 25c** **Country Club**, sifted; No. 2 cans... **17c** **Country Club**, sifted; No. 2 cans... **19c**

CALIF. ASPARAGUS Clifford; medium size; tall round cans... **3 for 25c** **Avondale**, medium green spears; big No. 2 cans... **19c** **Country Club**; small white, in big 2 1/2 sq. can; big value; No. 2 cans... **22c** **Mixed Veg.**; as fine as supply on hand; No. 2 cans... **9c**

Succotash C. C. small green lima and corn; No. 2 cans... **12c** **Milk Hominy** Delicious, nourishing; No. 2 cans... **3 for 14c** **Lima Beans** Avondale; small green lima; No. 2 cans... **2 for 25c** **Extra small, fan** C. C.; small, fan; No. 2 cans... **15c**

RED BEETS Good quality, cut, No. 3 cans... **9c** **Country Club**; extra fine; small strawberry beets; No. 2 cans... **15c** **Stringless Beans** C. C.; small, fan; No. 2 cans... **2 for 25c** **Extra small, fan** C. C.; small, fan; No. 2 cans... **15c**

Calif. Peaches Yellow, large yellow halves in light syrup; 2 1/2 cans... **10c** **Country Club**; yellow halves in good syrup; 2 1/2 cans... **15c** **Stringless Beans** C. C.; small, fan; No. 2 cans... **2 for 25c** **Extra small, fan** C. C.; small, fan; No. 2 cans... **15c**

FRESH CHURNED BUTTER Palatable, wholesome, an exceptional value at Kroger's low price for this sale. 1b print... **29c** **World's finest, churned from finest Northern whole milk** extra; 10c print... **32c**

Head Rice Blue Rose; good quality; pound... **5c** **Fancy white head**; 7c **Roiled Oats** clean, nice; 3 lbs. 10c **C. C. in sealed 20-c. container**... **8c**

CORN FLAKES Quaker, crisp, toasted; big pkg... **5c** **Grape Nuts** 50c Lamb brand; 12c **Whole Biscuits** 50c Lamb brand; 12c **Wheat** 50c Lamb brand; 12c **Cream Meal** Fresh ground, 5lb 10c

Biscuit Flour Vision reg. 2 for 15c **Karo** Blue Label; 8c 2 1/2-lb. 10c **Pure New Orleans Molasses** 10c **Country Club**; extra fine; small strawberry beets; No. 2 cans... **15c**

Apple Jelly Country Club; extra fine; small strawberry beets; No. 2 cans... **15c** **Plum Jelly** Country Club; extra fine; small strawberry beets; No. 2 cans... **15c** **PALE JELLIES** Assorted flavors; 5c **Par Value Preserves** Assorted flavors; 8c **Jelly Powder** C. C.; assorted flavors; 5c

Bread The finest in the city—then, at half the usual price... **2 big loaves 5c** **Country Club**; extra fine; small strawberry beets; No. 2 cans... **15c** **OLIVES** Country Club; extra fine; small strawberry beets; No. 2 cans... **15c** **OLIVES** Country Club; extra fine; small strawberry beets; No. 2 cans... **15c**

Country Club OLIVE OIL 37c **OLIVES** Country Club; extra fine; small strawberry beets; No. 2 cans... **15c** **OLIVES** Country Club; extra fine; small strawberry beets; No. 2 cans... **15c** **OLIVES** Country Club; extra fine; small strawberry beets; No. 2 cans... **15c**

FRESH CALIF. SHOULDERS 12c **BLADE SHOULDERS** 14c **FRESH SPARERIBS** 11c **RIB OR PORK CHOPS** 20c **RIB ROAST** 22c **CHUCK ROAST** 16c **SHORT RIBS** 12c **LEAN BEEF** 17c **BRISKET BEEF** 11c **LAMB SHOULDERS** 18c **LAMB STEW** 15c **Smoked Meats** 15c

Sugar Cured SMOKED HAMS 19c **Breakfast BACON** 20c **Sliced** 23c **Smoked California** 15c **FRESH LINK SAUSAGE** 15c **Wafers** 35c **Whole of 29c** **CHICKENS** For stewing or baking; 20c **Legs**, lb., 20c

VEAL Shoulders, lb., 15c **Breast**, lb., 17c **Veal Stew**, lb., 15c **Loin of Veal**, lb., 20c **Kroger's Fresh-Roasted Coffees** Are all rich, smooth-drinking, full flavored and aromatic; pure blend. Take advantage of this opportunity. This price remains in effect until Monday 6 p. m.

JEWEL COFFEE 3 lbs. for 50c **FRENCH COFFEE** 2 lbs. for 55c **COUNTRY CLUB** An excellent blend of finest Mocha 40c **WALDORF** An exceptionally fine Coffee 25c **GOLDEN SANTOS** A fine Coffee 20c

Macaroni or Spaghetti 10c **Assorted Buttercups** Special 5c **Country Club** 10c **Chocolate Layer Cake** Supreme in quality; each 10c **Macaroon Snaps, Coconut Taffy** 10c **Vanilla Wafers, Scotch Coffee** 12c **Pretzel Puffs, per pound** 10c **Cakes, per lb.** 12c

GINGER SNAPS 5c **SPICE JUMBLES** 7c **Country Club** 10c **GRAHAMS** Fresh, crisp, appetizing, nourishing; in big sealed package; a 10c value for 5c **Pink Salmon** Nice quality; good flavor; reg. 10c cans... **3 for 25c** **Johnstone, Red Alaska**; tall cans... **15c**

Sardines Delmonte; in mustard or oil; 1/2 lb. tins... **15c** **Neptune**; mustard or oil; 1/2 lb. tins... **15c** **Imported La Rose Sprats**; in oil; 1/2 lb. tins... **15c** **Fancy Ball**; extra fine; 1/2 lb. tins... **15c** **Independence Bone**; 20c **Marie**; 25c **Portuguese**; 25c

Tuna All solid white; 12c **Shrimp** C. C.; fine quality; 1/2 lb. tins... **10c** **Cove Oysters** Cream; 4-oz. tins... **5c** **Potted Meat** Regular 4c **20-Mule-Team Soap Chips**; big package; 25c value... **20c**

LENOX SOAP 10 bars 25c **Star Powdered Ammonia** Better than liquid ammonia; 5c pkg. 3 for 10c **American Bleuing** Reg. 5c 3 for 10c **Avondale Cleanser** Reg. 5c 2 for 5c

COUNTRY CHILE CON CARNE Packed under Govt. supervision; big No. 2 cans... **10c** **COUNTRY PORK AND BEANS** In rich tomato sauce; No. 2 cans... **10c** **Red Beans** In tomato sauce; 2 for 15c **Avon-Kraut** With Frankfurter style; 10c **Kidney Beans** C. C.; cooked, ready to eat; No. 2 cans... **10c**

LIQUOR SPECIALS—KROGER'S BIG DOWNTOWN STORE—811 N. SIXTH STREET **O.F.C. Bourbon** 79c **KROGER'S** 67 **QUALITY STORES ECONOMY CENTERS**

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Excepting Saturday, when they remain open until 9:30 P.M.

ST. LOUIS POST-DISPATCH RECORD OF MARKETS

STOCKS, BONDS, RAILROADS, AND OTHERS

Lack of Leadership and of Definite Opinion Apparent, and Uncertainties Abound.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, May 12.—The Evening Post, in its copyrighted financial review today, says the movement of the Stock Exchange today, both in point of volume of business and of gains in prices, was more vigorous than yesterday, and there was less of the hesitation that was in evidence on other occasions. The market was generally quoted at higher prices. The market remained largely one of speculation, in which some sharp advances occurred.

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Relations with Germany, so far as official interference and actions can be seen, have again been placed on a satisfactory basis, but there was still a feeling of uncertainty. The market remained largely one of speculation, in which some sharp advances occurred.

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TRADING, PRICES MIXED, IN LOCAL MARKET

Some Issues Are Up While Others Are Easier; Bonds Are Steady.

FRIDAY'S COMPARATIVE FUTURE QUOTATIONS.

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GRAN REFLECTS INFLUENCE OF ADDITIONAL RAINFALL

St. Louis Traders Make Little Attempt to Find Profit in the Day's Price Movements—Corn Quiet and Oats Neglected.

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Don't Ever Let Anyone Tell You This as a New One
WHAT do you reckon made that cannon kick like it did?
"Gee," they charged it too much."

Bother the Laws.

AN English dean had a fine collection of stories, and he loved to tell them. One concerned the verger, who was a latitudinarian in matrimonial matters. It was his business to settle all questions connected with banns, and he was examined with severity when it was found that he had allowed the dean to marry a man to his deceased wife's sister.

"Well," he replied, "one of the parties was 84 and the other 88. So I says to myself, 'Lord, it can't last long—let 'em wed, and bother the laws!'"

Disappointed.

AN old Scotswoman, who, at considerable personal inconvenience, had gone a good way to visit a friend who was ill, learned on her arrival that the alarming symptoms had subsided.

"An' hoo are ye the day, Mrs. Crawford?" she inquired in breathless anxiety.

"Oh, I'm nearly well now, thank ye, Mrs. Graham."

"Nearly well!" exclaimed the breathless visitor. "After we comin' see far to see ye, too!"

Rather Suspicious.

"JOHN! JOHN!"
The lady nudged her sleeping husband urgently in the ribs.
"Whassit?" he replied, drowsily.
"There's a burglar in the house!" John roused himself at that.

"Well, what do you want me to do?" he asked indignantly. "Want me to go downstairs and risk being killed?"
"No," replied his wife warningly; "but if you find, in the morning, that someone has been through your pockets, don't blame me!"

Out of Mouths of Babes.

LITTLE Nelly told little Anita what she termed a "little fib."
Anita: A fib is the same as a story, and a story is the same as a lie.
Nelly: No, it's not.
Anita: Yes, it is, because my father said so, and my father is a professor at the university.

Nelly: I don't care if he is. My father is a real estate man and he knows more about lying than your father.

Incurable.

PAP is gittin' kinder discouraged," remarked Hiram Wayback.
"How so?" asked the neighbor.
"Well, he's pasted nigh onto 40,000 medical recipes into a book durin' the last 40 years, an' he ain't had a sick day yet."

MUTT and JEFF—Mutt Deserts His Post!

JEFF I JUST INVENTED THIS HELMET TO PROTECT SOLDIERS FROM POISONOUS GAS. NOW YOU PUT IT ON AND GO OVER THE HILL A SHORT DISTANCE AND OPEN A CAN OF POISON GAS ON YOURSELF



WHY, ME?

DON'T ARGUE! YOU CAN'T GET HURT AS LONG AS I KEEP PUMPING FRESH AIR TO YOU. I'VE GOT THE HARDEST JOB, I'VE GOT TO KEEP PUMPING TO KEEP YOU ALIVE



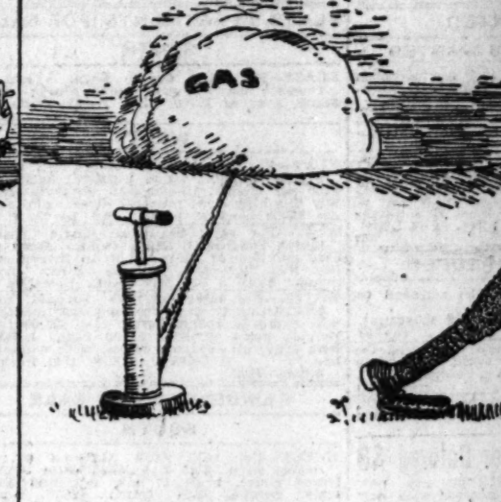
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By Bud Fisher

S'MATTER POP?



Drawn for the Post-Dispatch
By C. M. PAYNE.



A MAY SALE

Of extensive proportions. Our very low prices coupled with our high-grade and stylish goods, and the fact that you can purchase from us without one cent cash makes our store an ideal place for you to trade.

Absolutely No Cash Required

To get fitted up from head to foot, yourself or the entire family. No red tape in giving you credit. Pick out the goods, don't give us one penny, but begin paying \$1.00 a week after you have the clothes and while you are wearing them. Come in tomorrow and see how easy you can have goods and credit.

Spring Suit Models at \$14.75
Your empty purse will buy a swell
Ladies' or Misses' Coat for \$7.50
Real novel ideas. See them.
New Spring Dresses at \$8.50
Tear out the Coupon now. It buys you one of these dresses.
Our Men's and Young Men's Suits are nifty looking—fit and wear well.
Your choice, \$15.00
100 Styles. No cash needed. The Coupon and \$1.00 a week, that's all.

SAME GOODS—SAME PRICES—SAME TERMS AT OUR EAST ST. LOUIS STORE, 323 MISSOURI AVENUE.
Ladies' Coats—Waistcoats—Millinery—Petitecoats—Men's Shoes—Hats—Footwear on Credit.

HOYLE & PARICK
810 N. BROADWAY
OPEN TILL 10 P.M.
SATURDAY
MONDAY
TILL 7 P.M.

Over-Particular

A NEGRO porter, nearly eighty years old, was arrested on some trivial charge, for which he was later discharged. It proved, during the trial, that he had never seen the inside of a court before, and the bustle of events greatly dazed and embarrassed him.

Fixing the Scenery.

MANDY had "dished up" my one-some lurch, but still she lingered near.
"Well, Mandy, what is it?" I asked, recognizing the symptoms.
She giggled coquishly. "Please, Miss Ethel, could you lend me a pair of red stockings?"
"Red stockings, Mandy! Are you going to a party?"
She became impressively solemn at once. "Oh, no, miss. Ah's gwine to a funeral!"
"But, Mandy, red stockings at a funeral! Everybody always wears black at funerals!"
"Yes'm, Ah knows, Miss!" she hesitated, "but you see Ah expects to prosecute mahself on de grave."—New York Evening Post.

The End of the Train.

MRS. NORAH MULVANEY one day met her friend, Mrs. Bridget Carr, who had in her arms her twelfth child.

Due Credit.

THE Highlander fell into the river and, being unable to swim, had a fearful struggle before he kicked himself ashore. Said the minister to him afterward:

Hard to Float.

A FLOATING theater is being constructed by a manager in Amsterdam that will accommodate 2500 persons.

He Knew.

POP:
"Yes, my son."
"The early birds don't get all the worms."
"Why not, my boy?"
"Because some of the early apples get 'em, too."—Yonkers Statesman.

Larger Bills.
S. Dr. Goofer your family physician?
"Not any more."
"Wasn't he satisfactory?"
"Yes, but he bought an automobile."

Mean Tempered.
YOUR teeth are in pretty bad shape," remarked the dentist.
"It isn't their shape that bothers me," said his patient. "It's their disposition."

Feeling of Elation.
SIMPkins seems to be a very enthusiastic gardener.
"Enthusiastic isn't the word for it. To hear that guy talk you'd think he invented radishes."

Sensenbrenner's
SIXTH AND ST. CHARLES

GIRLS' \$2 PUMPS
A dozen of the prettiest new styles to select from—"Mary Jane," Instep Strap or Bar Strap patterns—patent or gunmetal leathers—a snug fit and perfect service in every pair.
Sizes 8½ to 11, at **\$1.39**
Sizes 11½ to 6, **\$1.69**

BOYS' \$3 OXFORDS
Wonderful assortment of Button or Lace styles in either Gunmetal or Patent Leather, Broad Toe or English Last Models. Solid service guaranteed. Sizes 9 to 13½, at **\$1.69**
Sizes 1 to 5½, **\$2.19**

\$2.25 ELK SHOES
FOR BOY SCOUTS
Choice of black or tan with Elk hide uppers and extra durable Elk soles, an ideal outing or school shoe.
Sizes 9 to 13½, at **\$1.39**
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85c Tennis Oxfords
ALL SIZES FOR MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN
First Grade Champion Tennis Oxfords in white with white rubber soles, or black with black rubber soles.—Saturday Special only, at **BLACK 59c WHITE 69c**

Great Saturday Sales of WAISTS
\$5 to \$7.50 Georgettes, \$3.85
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Georgettes Shantung Silks
Lace Waists Sport Waists
\$5 to \$7.50 values—a saving opportunity of great importance, as it involved the season's newest styles and finest qualities.
\$1 and \$1.50 Blouses
Lingerie Plain Voiles Striped Voiles Crossbar Rice Cloths Voiles in Oriental Colorings **69c**

New Tub Skirts
An immense display very moderately marked—in all the wash materials and styles that are wanted.
\$1 \$1.50 to \$4.95

\$100 FREE TO YOU!
WE WILL ACCEPT THIS COUPON AS A CASH PAYMENT OF ONE DOLLAR ON ANY PURCHASE OF TEN DOLLARS OR OVER
CUT IT OUT—BRING IT TO OUR STORE

Big Suit Sale
Unheard-of Values
Easy Paying Terms
Tomorrow we will place on sale hundreds of Men's and Women's Suits, at about one-half of their real value. These Suits consist of this season's newest styles. This is truly a remarkable opportunity. Buy a suit tomorrow—Have It Charged—One Dollar a Week pays the bill.

MEN'S SUITS
Of great value—regular \$18 and \$20 Suits **\$15**
Tomorrow will be known as value day at the U. S. A. fortunate purchase permits us to offer you men of discriminating taste a choice selection of suits. Regular \$18 and \$20 values for **\$15**
CASH OR CREDIT

LADIES' SUITS
\$14.75 to \$29.50, **\$9.95** Now
Take your choice tomorrow of any suit in our house—no matter if it is marked \$14.75 or \$29.50—they are all one price for Saturday and are the latest styles.
\$9.95
CASH OR CREDIT

UNIVERSAL SATISFACTION
U.S. CREDIT CLOTHING CO.
706 N. BROADWAY.

You Teach Children
Never to say "I can't." For your own sake never say "I can't take and keep up life insurance."
YOU CAN
This is one of the prize-winning advertisements in the Education campaign of the Life Underwriters Association of St. Louis, and was written by C. H. CHESNEY, 1532 Pine St., St. Louis.
The next ad will appear Monday, May 15.

Two Great Favorites of the Movie Fans

Virginia Pearson and Clara Kimball Young—beautiful Rotogravure pictures in tomorrow's Big Sunday Post-Dispatch

The BEST FEATURES OF THE LEADING MOVIE HOUSES are listed on the FIRST WANT PAGE OF THE BIG SUNDAY POST-DISPATCH.

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PRICE ONE CENT

NIGHT EDITION FINANCIAL MARKETS SPORTS

151,000 MARCH IN 20-MILE LINE FOR PREPAREDNESS

All Walks of Life Including Lawyers, Supreme Court Justices, City Officials and Workers in Parade Lasting 14 Hours.

20,000 WOMEN TAKE PART IN PROCESSION

Marchers Also Include 10,000 State National Guardsmen in Uniform—Antis Distribute Literature.

NEW YORK, May 13.—The greatest civic parade in the history of this country was witnessed here today when 151,000 enthusiastic men and women marched through the city streets as a demonstration of their belief in national preparedness. The great line of marchers, estimated at 25 miles in length, left no doubt in the minds of the million or more persons on the sidewalks that there was an urgent and potent argument.

It seemed as if all New York was in the streets and there was hardly a person who did not wear or wave the Stars and Stripes. Many who had witnessed other great parades in New York declared that they had never seen a demonstration where patriotic enthusiasm reached so high a pitch.

Broadway was a veritable canyon of American flags. The parades, headed by Mayor Mitchell and the officials of the demonstration and Gen. Leonard Wood and Rear-Admiral R. Usher, were greeted with roars of applause. The weather is perfect.

Start Made at 9:30 A. M. With an aeroplane circling over the lower part of the city, where the parade started, the first division swung into line promptly at 9:30 o'clock. The procession was not to end until nearly midnight.

Surrounding the Mayor's carriage was a deep cordon of mounted police acting as protection against possible attempts to harm him. So closely did they guard him that the Mayor was scarcely visible to the spectators.

At 10:30 o'clock the head of the column reached the reviewing stand at Madison Square Park at Twenty-third street, and there the Mayor, Gen. Wood and Admiral Usher took places of honor in an assemblage of prominent citizens and delegations of Senators and Congressmen to review the remainder of the parade.

The marchers from that point proceeded up Fifth avenue, which was even more gaily decorated than Broadway. Great flags bearing preparedness mottoes bridged the street and the buildings were profusely draped with the national colors.

The parade moved with precision, and up to mid-afternoon there were no untoward incidents.

Many business houses are closed while the city gives itself up to its celebration of "preparedness day." The sidewalks from the Battery to Fifty-ninth street, the start and finish of the parade, were crowded early. It is estimated that at least 1,000,000 persons saw the demonstration. Twenty thousand women were in the parade.

10,000 National Guardsmen Out. Workers in 300 occupations, lawyers and other professional men, city officials and city employees and 10,000 members of the National Guard in uniform and thousands of veterans of the Spanish War composed the long column. The lawyers were led by 20 Justices of the Supreme Court. The marchers were divided into 64 divisions. The hour set for the start was 9:30 a. m. and it was thought that the fast division would not reach the disbanding point until 10:30 to 11 o'clock.

The main body of the marching thousands comprised employees in shops and stores. In addition divisions there were representatives of the theater and allied arts, engineers, architects, clergymen, business men, bankers and brokers, physicians and surgeons and public schools.

In the women's section were teachers, stenographers, art students, girls from the department stores, the American Women's League for Self-Defense and the Women's Preparedness Battalion and representatives of various trades organizations the long column.

Anti-preparedness bodies such as the Woman's Peace Party and the Socialists, endeavored to offset the preparedness spirit by circulation among the spectators of circulars. Across Fifth avenue from the reviewing stand the women's party hung out a banner with the inscription:

"There are only 100,000 of you. You are not the only patriots. Two million families, 500,000 mine workers and organized labor in America are opposed to what you and Wall Street are marching for. Are you sure you are right?"

The Socialists, through a committee headed by Miss Theresa Malkiel, a noted organizer, distributed 500,000 pamphlets to the crowds. A large number of young girls, wearing distinctive appearing sashes, passed from block to block, giving out their literature to the spectators. One pamphlet told of "Women's Fate in War," and the other presented a

CONFEREES AGREE UPON A PEACE ARMY OF 206,000

War Strength 254,000; Report Is to Be Submitted to Both Branches of Congress Next Week.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—A regular army of 206,000 men at peace strength, capable of expansion to 254,000 men in time of war, was agreed upon today by House and Senate conferees on the army reorganization bill, first of the big national defense measures.

The report will be submitted to both branches of Congress for ratification next week.

In the agreement on the regular army the Senate bill system of organization was retained as a substitute for the House system, which would have recruited a maximum army of 140,000 men.

Can't Go Below 100,000. The regular line of the army, the bill now provides, can never go below 100,000, and its maximum strength in time of peace would be 150,000 officers and men. In this calculation, however, there are excluded, 5723 Philippine Scouts, 6409 in the quartermaster's corps, 7290 in the medical department, 3387 in the signal corps and 8760 unassigned recruits, a total of 31,660. These added to the regular line of 150,000 men give a total regular army peace strength of 206,000. The President is authorized to increase the regular army divisions to maximum strength without congressional action.

Under the conference agreement the regular army would consist of 65 regiments of infantry, 25 regiments of cavalry, 21 regiments of field artillery, a light artillery corps of 20,000 officers and men, a signal corps of 3387 men, including the aviation section and seven regiments of engineers. In the aviation section the number of officers is increased from a total of 60 to 143, including one Colonel, one Lieutenant Colonel, eight Majors, 24 Captains and 114 First Lieutenants.

The organization plan contemplates attaining the full peace strength within five years, as proposed in the original preparedness plan.

Increase in General Officers. General officers of the line would be increased by four Major-Generals and 19 Brigadier-Generals. The general staff of the army would be increased from 34 officers to 52. The provision of the Senate bill which would have placed five officers of the National Guard in the general staff was stricken out, but provision was made for officers of the national guard to be assigned to volunteer citizens' camps at Government expense.

An effort to give volunteer citizens in camp pay of enlisted men while in training camps failed.

The volunteer reserve army of 251,000 men provided in the Senate bill goes out, leaving the reserve army to the national guard, which will be federalized, according to provisions of the House bill. All officers and men of the guard must take an oath of allegiance to the United States as well as to the respective States.

The national guard at maximum strength would be recruited on the basis of 30 men to each Congressional district, which would aggregate a total of 425,000 men. This reserve force, together with the regular army of 206,000 war strength, would produce a combined defense force of 631,000 men.

A provision for vocational training for men in the regular army, regulated by the Secretary of War, was left in the bill and the House proposal for Government operation of nitrate manufacturing plants to cost not more than \$20,000,000 also was accepted. Selection of sites is left to the President. The product of the plants, when not needed in war time, may be sold for fertilizer, under executive regulations.

May Select Private Plants. Authority for the Government to seize and operate private plants for

manufacture of munitions of war in time of need is given and the President is empowered to appoint a board of five men, two civilians and three army officers, to investigate the advisability of establishment of Government plants for the manufacture of munitions. The board would report before Jan. 1, 1917.

The President is authorized to appoint a board to investigate the mobilization of industries in time of war. The regular army enlistment is fixed at seven years, three with the colors and four in reserve, but if enlisted men master military training in one year and wish to retire to the reserve they may be permitted, on proving efficiency and upon recommendation of superior officers.

Final agreement was reached on the long-disputed measure after a short session of the Conference Committee. Another meeting will be held Monday to sign the report.

"I think we have an excellent bill," said Chairman Chamberlain of the Senate Military Affairs Committee. Chairman Hay of the House Committee also praised the report, and approval by both Houses is expected.

COOL EARLY IN THE WEEK NORMAL TEMPERATURE LATER

Occasional Local Rains Predicted Until Tuesday—Fair Weather to Follow.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Weather predictions for the week beginning Sunday, made by the Weather Bureau today, says:

"The indications are that the coming week will be generally overcast and cool with occasional local rains throughout the Atlantic States, the Ohio Valley and the region of the Great Lakes."

"Similar conditions will prevail the first half of the week in the Upper Mississippi Valley and the plains states, followed by generally fair weather and a reaction to normal temperatures in these regions after Tuesday."

"Generally fair and cool weather will prevail during the week over the Rocky Mountain and plateau region and the Pacific States."

"In the Gulf states the weather will be generally fair with normal temperatures."

SHOWERS AND NOT MUCH CHANGE IN TEMPERATURE

THE TEMPERATURES.

5 a. m. 53 10 a. m. 57
8 a. m. 58 11 a. m. 61
1 p. m. 64 2 p. m. 68
Humidity at 7 a. m. today, 79 per cent.

Official forecast for St. Louis and vicinity: Showers tonight and tomorrow; Sunday, not much change in temperature.

Missouri—Showers tonight and probably Sunday; not much change in temperature.

Illinois—Showers tonight and probably Sunday; not much change in temperature.

Stage of the river: 21.1 feet; a fall of .4 of a foot.

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Tomorrow's Sunday Post-Dispatch

MRS. HUMPHRY WARD tells how the notable families of England have suffered from the war; how the heirs of 47 famous houses have fallen gloriously on the field of honor and hundreds less famous, but yet of England's best blood, have given their lives for their country.

CALL TO ARMS BY IRELAND'S ILL-FATED "PROVISIONAL PRESIDENT"—Patrick H. Pearse's last stirring address to the members of Sinn Fein, just a few days before the Dublin rebellion, advising them the time had come to strike for Irish freedom and nationality.

FRANK H. SIMONDS visits the battlefields of Lorraine—The Post-Dispatch's noted analyst, who has just returned from a visit to the Western war front, tells of what he saw during a visit to the heights of Lorraine and the battlefields there about, which have been the scenes of some of the most desperate fighting of the war.

The demand will be great. Telephone your newsdealer and ORDER YOUR COPY NOW.

IS MISSOURI FOR OR AGAINST PREPAREDNESS?—Editors of newspapers in all sections of the State tell how their respective communities stand on this important issue.

FAMOUS ARTISTS DEPICT PATRONS OF WAR-BLIND HERBES OF EUROPE—Reproduction in colors in the SUNDAY MAGAZINE of the notable new drawings by Charles Dana Gibson, Emil Fuchs, F. C. Yohn, Thure de Thalsburg and H. A. Ogden.

"ENEMY PLANE IN SIGHT"—Exciting scene in a British position in France as the crews man the anti-aircraft guns in an endeavor to bring down a German aeroplane, shown in a striking photograph reproduced in the ROTOGRAVURE SECTION.

"AMERICA TOO SUPERFICIAL TO BE GREAT"—Noted Belgian jurist, who won Nobel Peace Prize, says we must get down to life's fundamentals before we can take the place in the world that should be ours.

BURGLAR'S LIKING FOR PERFUME LEADS TO ARREST OF TWO

One Robber of West End Homes Had Dropped His Initialed Handkerchief.

THIS HELPED AS CLEW

Men, Who Stole Automobile for Joy Rides, Confess to Many Burglaries.

Charles Brown, 30 years old, of 407A Olive street, and Richard Meyers, 18, of 3134 Brantner place, held as burglars at the Page Boulevard Police Station confess that they have robbed many West End homes and had stolen three automobiles in the last few months.

They used the automobiles only for joy riding, afterwards abandoning them, but they admit that they stripped one of the cars of its batteries, inner tire tubes and spark plugs.

Jewelry valued at more than \$1000 was found in Brown's room and in the basement under a tailor shop conducted by Meyers' father at 64 Pine street.

Brown was arrested Thursday in his Olive street room, but this was not



Hungry women carrying supplies obtained from the military food depot along streets of Dublin to starving families at home.

made public until late yesterday afternoon, after jewelry valued at \$250 found in the room was identified by Mrs. Nat. L. McGuire of 6139 Kingsburg boulevard as having been stolen from her home last Wednesday.

Stole Expensive Perfume. One article stolen from the McGuire home was a small cylindrical bottle of expensive perfume. The bottle had a peculiar top with a dropper attachment, and was in a wooden box. As an aid to tracing the burglars Mrs. McGuire gave the detectives an empty bottle like box like the stolen one. She also gave them a handkerchief marked with the initial "B" which she found on the floor in her home after the robbery and which she believed had been dropped by the burglar.

With the perfume bottle and the handkerchief for clues the detectives visited many West End rooming houses, asking the proprietors if they had seen a similar perfume bottle in any of their rooms. At 407A Olive street the landlady exclaimed: "Why, one of my roomers, a Mr. Brown, has a bottle just like that." The detectives naturally noted that the initial "B" on the handkerchief fitted the name Brown.

They went to Brown's room and found him there. After the bottle of perfume and many articles of jewelry had been found by the detectives he admitted that the handkerchief was his and said he must have dropped it in Mrs. McGuire's home while taking a flash lamp from his pocket.

After Mrs. McGuire had identified her jewelry, Brown made a full confession and said he had been robbing St. Louis homes for about five months. Those whose residences he said he had entered were Mrs. T. C. Reeves, 4555 Washington avenue; George T. Meyer, 5509 Cates avenue; Herbert Latta, 487 McPherson avenue; Mrs. George Payno, 6111 Vernon avenue; Albert E. Thies, 5628 Glenview avenue and C. W. Todush, 536 Maple avenue.

Came From California. Brown said he had been a locomotive fireman in California, but was disabled by an injury to his eye. He came here six months ago, he said, and met a man known to him only as George, who induced him to become a burglar. George, he said, told him burglary would be safe and profitable if he would keep out of flats, hotels and apartment houses.

They limited their burglaries to the city limits and between Page boulevard and Olive street. Brown said, and they got their loot through a go-between named Clarence. Two months ago, he said, George went to Chicago and Clarence to New Orleans, and the

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Scenes in Dublin During the Rebellion



Irish prisoners taken by the military authorities during and after the revolt.

COUNCIL TO RULE IRELAND THROUGH CRISIS PROPOSED

Members Would Consist of Nationalists and Unionists Under New Idea.

DUBLIN, May 13.—There is a new idea being set forth for the ruling of Ireland, through the present war crisis. This is to have the country governed by an executive council on which will be both Nationalists and Unionists.

Although the idea has only just been suggested it has found widespread support.

An official announcement concerning the execution of two more Irish rebels, which became known yesterday, has been issued. It is as follows:

"The trial of two prominent leaders of the rebellion, whose names were appended to the proclamation issued by the so-called provisional Government, namely, James Connolly and John McDermott, took place on May 8. The sentence of death was returned in each case and the sentences were carried out this morning after confirmation by the general commander in chief."

Premier Asquith, who is here investigating the Sinn Fein rebellion, has occupied his time with conferences, none of which were of decisive character. Gen. Maxwell and Friend were that consulted, and after they had given the Premier full reports of the uprising and the military steps taken for its suppression.

Asquith went over at length the questions of martial law, executions and whether the present system should continue. Later he was closeted for a long time with Undersecretary of State for Ireland, Chalmers, with whom he discussed the question of the payment of compensation for damage done in the city of Dublin. Further conferences with local officials are expected to take place through the day.

There is no indication yet as to the successors of Baron Wimborne, Lord Lieutenant of Ireland, and Augustine Birrell, Chief Secretary for Ireland.

John McDermott was known to Irishmen in the United States as one of the most brilliant orators in Ireland and as one of the so-called inner circle of revolutionists in the recent uprising. Authorities in this country on Irish affairs say that he was one of the original organizers of the Irish volunteers in November, 1913, in Dublin.

At the outbreak of the war McDermott, comparatively a young man, was editor of Irish Freedom, a Dublin journal, ardently opposed to recruiting among the Irish for the British army, and which was suppressed for its attitude on this subject.

McDermott, who has never been in the United States, was a leading athlete in Ireland during his youth. During a visit of Queen Mary to Dublin several years ago, McDermott, his friends declare, was arrested during a disturbance and so roughly handled by the police that he was removed to a hospital, remaining there for some weeks and becoming permanently injured.

The entries for the big race are:

- | No. Car | Driver |
|---------------------|--------------------|
| 1 Sunbeam Six | Jos. Christy |
| 2 Crawford Special | Dave Lewis |
| 3 Peugeot | John Alken |
| 4 J. J. R. Special | Bert Watson |
| 5 Maxwell | Pete Henderson |
| 6 Delage | Carl Limborg |
| 7 Delage | Julius Devigne |
| 8 Erwin | G. C. Bergdoll |
| 9 Adams Special | George Adams |
| 10 Delage | Jack Le Cain |
| 11 Maxwell | Eddie Rickenbacker |
| 12 Puma | Ald. Franchi |
| 13 Duesenberg | C. J. Devlin |
| 14 Olson | C. W. Thompson |
| 15 Crawford Special | Billy Chandler |
| 16 Adams Special | George Adams |
| 17 Peugeot | Dario Resta |
| 18 Hudson | Ira Vall |
| 19 Erwin | Eugene Stecher |

Expected He and Mrs. Wilson Will Visit Jamestown Ruins.

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., May 13.—The yacht Mayflower, with the President and Mrs. Wilson aboard for a week-end cruise, anchored off the shipyard here this morning from Washington.

The naval yacht Sylph was waiting off Newport News and soon after the President's arrival he and Mrs. Wilson left the Mayflower and went aboard. The Sylph started immediately for a trip up the James River and it was expected the President would visit the ruins of Jamestown.

OBREGON WILL TRY TO GET CARRANZA TO SIGN PROTOCOL

Subsecretary Tells Major-General Scott Both He and War Minister Favor Agreement and Approved Terms in Good Faith.

Meanwhile It Is Believed Both Sides Will Defer Action, Awaiting Decision From Diplomats.

Better Protection for Border—Brigadier-General Pershing Shortening Line of Communication.

FIELD HEADQUARTERS, near Naniquipa, Chihuahua, May 12, by wireless to Columbus, N. M., May 13.—Detachments of American troops are investigating rumors that Villa, at the head of a command of 1100, is hiding in the mountains between Asencion, Chihuahua, and Culberson's Ranch; about 65 miles west of Columbus, on the American side of the frontier.

By CLAIR KENAMORE, A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch.

EL PASO, Tex., May 13.—"Gen. Obregon and I will return to Mexico City and endeavor to induce the First Chief to approve the protocol. Gen. Obregon signed this in good faith, and we both favor it."

These were the parting words of Juan Amador, Subsecretary of Foreign Affairs of Mexico, to Major-General Hugh L. Scott, Chief of Staff of the American Army.

When the emissaries went their ways, they planned to submit the questions at issue, none of which they had been able to settle, to their respective Governments to be thrashed out by the diplomats.

It is believed that there was an understanding that neither country was to make a move of a warlike nature until the foreign departments have had time to agree. This is the only gentlemen's agreement or unwritten agreement entered into, so far as can be learned.

Protection of Border Promised. Representatives of both sides announced that they intended to give the border the best protection against bandits within their power. Obregon said he was bringing all available troops north for this purpose, and reports from the interior of Mexico indicate that he is moving troops toward the United States as rapidly as he can. This disposition fits well with his plan, as they can be used as a reserve of his defenses. This does not indicate that he is advising that trouble is feared, but that, like a careful soldier, he is preparing for eventualities. No uneasiness is felt for this column. It is in rare fighting trim and well equipped. The camps are entrenched and at some places bomb-proofs have been built and barbed wire entanglements made.

Obregon promised at the conference that as the American troops withdrew, his men would fill their places and take up their work. There is, of course, a constant menace in this proximity, as a clash is likely to result from any contact of American and Mexican troops.

Railway Season Comes Soon. The time for the rainy season in this section of the country is at hand, and because of that the use of the Mexican railroads by the American troops is likely to become imperative. The maintenance of the long line with truck trains as transports will be impossible when the heavy rains come. This is one of the most pressing reasons for a quick settlement of the questions which the conference of Generals failed to adjust.

Obregon was last night in Chihuahua City, conferring with Trevino and his other Generals. One result was the ordering of 1500 men to the Big Bend country. There are now about 60 American cavalry in this section. The announced object of the Mexican movement is to assist in capturing the bandits who raided Glenn Springs.

Gen. Scott departed yesterday afternoon for Washington and Gen. Funston started last night for San Antonio.

Carranza Has Made No Move to Renew Negotiations.

WASHINGTON, May 13.—Dispatch of 1000 Carranza troops northward toward the Big Bend district of Coahuila, reported in border advice, was regarded by officials here today as possibly indicating that the Mexican de facto Government is making renewed efforts to capture bandits who have raided American border towns. Reports that the expedition might have a hostile purpose were not regarded seriously by administration authorities.

The Mexican situation showed no sign of improvement.

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FRENCH REPULSE MO FIERCE ASSAULT AT DOUAMONT

Germans Fall Again in Effort to Increase Gain in That Region.

RUSSIAN LINE ATTACKED

Considerable Infantry Fighting on Dvinsk and Jacobstadt Sectors and Farther South.

LONDON, May 12.—The Douaumont region on the Verdun front, where the Germans for more than two months past have been held fairly close to the line of their original advance in the mid-February drive, is again the scene of desperate fighting.

Violent bombardment of French positions in that sector yesterday was followed by strong attacks, in which, according to the afternoon bulletin from the French high command, the Germans suffered heavy losses and failed to gain any ground.

Across the Meuse, northwest of Verdun, no infantry encounters are reported, but the artillery is being kept busy. Activity in the Val de Meuse Triangle.

Vienna today reports continuing increasing activity in the vicinity of the Valhalla fortress triangle on the Russian front, without decisive results, nor have there been important shifts in the line along the Austro-Italian front.

The British report says part of the 300 yards of trenches reported yesterday to have been captured by the Germans near Vermelles, in the Flanders region, have been retaken.

Considerable infantry fighting, which has yet been without result, is in progress on the Dvinsk and Jacobstadt sectors of the Russian front. Petrograd reports that German attacks at several points here and farther south have been repulsed.

In the Austro-Italian theater, intense artillery actions are ensuing in the Col di Lana zone and the Italians have put down two Austrian attempts at attack against captured positions on Mount Cukla.

Russians Progress Against Turks. Petrograd reports further progress for the Russians fighting against the Turks near the Persian frontier, with Bagdad as their objective. Here the Turks attempted to take the offensive but Petrograd says the movement was repulsed.

Farther north near Aeschka, which is situated some 50 miles west of Erzerum, the Russians claim to have made further progress westward. This, however, is at variance with the claims of Constantinople, which says the Russians, driven out of their positions at Mount Kops, west of Erzerum, are making every effort to maintain themselves in new positions.

Germans Repulsed in Attacks Around Douaumont.

PARIS, May 12.—The French trenches southwest of Fort Douaumont and positions to the north of the Douaumont farm were violently bombarded yesterday, according to official reports of the French War Office issued today. The report says that all of the German attacks were repulsed, the enemy sustaining serious losses. On the left bank of the Meuse artillery combats continue uninterrupted.

French Night Attack Repulsed Southwest of Verdun.

BERLIN, May 12, by wireless to Sayville.—The repulse of a night charge by the French, southwest of Verdun Hill, on the Verdun front, is reported in today's official statement by the War Office. Attempts by the French to advance in the Avocourt and Maiancourt woods also were fruitless.

Disorders on Greek Island of Samos Become Serious.

ATHENS, Greece, May 12, via Paris, May 12.—Renewed disorders on the Greek island of Samos, off the west coast of Asia Minor, have assumed a serious aspect. The Government is taking vigorous measures to meet the situation.

ST. LOUIS WATER RATES ATTACKED BEFORE COMMISSION

JEFFERSON CITY, May 12.—A complaint signed by the Civic League, the Central Trades and Labor Union, the Central Civic Council and 30 citizens was filed with the Public Service Commission today declaring that the present water rates of the St. Louis Water Department are unjust and discriminatory and demanding an investigation by the commission.

The complaint was filed by former Commissioner William F. Woerner, former Circuit Judge and City Counselor and father of the mill tax ordinance. The complaint declares by which rates discriminate in favor of the large manufacturing interests and against the general public.

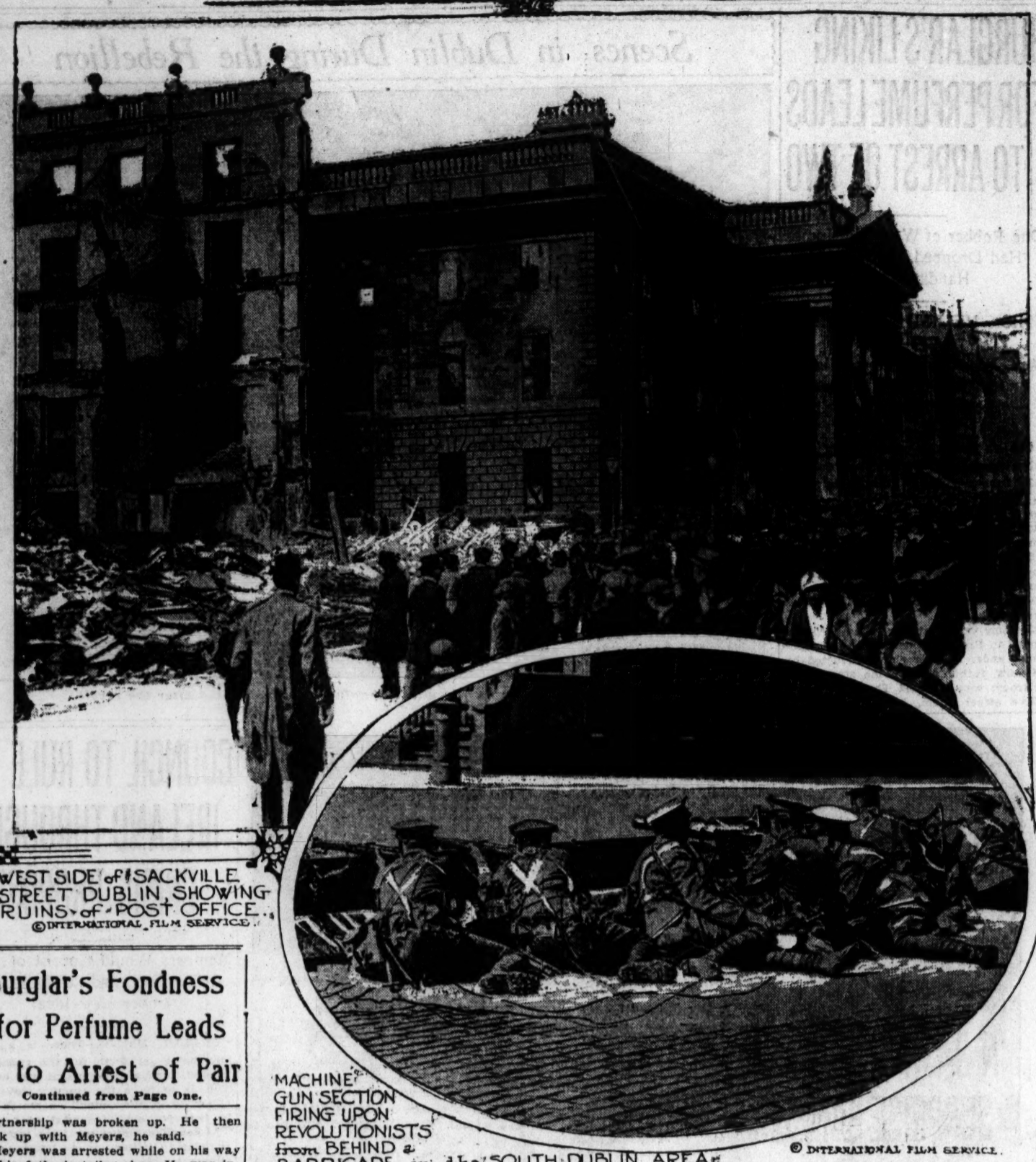
It is charged that the city is selling water to manufacturers at less than cost and that individual consumers are thus paying part of the cost of conducting the large business enterprises.

A list of comparative schedules submitted has shown that when water is purchased in certain quantities the rate charged for residence purposes is more than 100 per cent higher than the rate charged manufacturing concerns for the same amount.

The cost per 100 gallons for six months periods are compared as follows in the complaint:

12,000 gallons to manufacturers 7.5 cents, general public 12.5 cents.
15,000 gallons, manufacturers 6.5 cents, public 12.4 cents.
20,000 gallons, manufacturers 4.5 cents, public 12.7.
25,000 gallons, manufacturers 4.5 cents, public 12.5.
30,000 gallons, manufacturers 4.5 cents, public 12.1.
40,000 gallons, manufacturers 4.5 cents, public 8.5.
50,000 gallons, manufacturers 4.5 cents, public 8.5.
1,000,000 gallons, manufacturers 4.5 cents, public 7.5.

Machine Gun Squad Awaiting Rebels in Dublin Street; Ruins of Postoffice, Occupied by "Republican Army"



WEST SIDE OF SACKVILLE STREET DUBLIN, SHOWING RUINS OF POST OFFICE.

Burglar's Fondness for Perfume Leads to Arrest of Pair

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partnership was broken up. He then took up with Meyers, he said.

Meyers was arrested while on his way to his father's tailor shop. He was indignant and asked the police to let him go on the ground that he had a wife and a baby 7 days old. He was taken to the tailor shop and the police found several articles of jewelry. Meyers then admitted he had aided Brown in robbing five residences.

A revolver found in the tailor shop basement later was identified as having been stolen from the home of H. S. Platt, 220 North Newstead avenue, about a week ago. A revolver and a glass cutter were found in Brown's room. Glass door panels were cut from several houses recently robbed.

A diamond ring belonging to Latta was found in a pawnshop and Brown was identified as the man who pawned it. Several articles of the stolen jewelry also were found in an East St. Louis pawnshop.

Of the articles stolen from the Payne home a \$500 diamond ring could not be found. Brown said he sold this ring to a woman of the name of Georgia Smith, who had lived at 3540 Olive street. Investigation showed that the Smith woman was forced to leave town by the Newstead avenue police as an undesirable character several weeks ago.

Brown told the detectives he gave several articles of the jewelry to Mrs. Della Heckel, proprietor of a rooming house at 3023 Washington avenue, where he formerly lived. Mrs. Heckel turned several rings and pins over to the police. They were identified as having been stolen from the Payne, Meyer and Thoma homes.

Meyers said he was a machinist, out of work. He told detectives he was repairing an automobile at Vandeventer and Olive streets about two months ago when Brown, a stranger, approached him and told him he was a fool for working so hard when he could let his easier money as a burglar. This advice, he said, led him into crime.

Brown and Meyers said that on the night of May 2 they stole the automobile of F. M. Stamper of 222 North Taylor and abandoned it in North St. Louis. The following night they stole the machine of Dr. Ellis Fischel of 5662 Waterman avenue and abandoned it at Spring and Delmar avenues. The next night they took a joyride in the car of Adolph J. Westen of 2433 Russell avenue. They stole it at Union and Vernon avenues, they said, and before deserting it at Lexington and Olive street they had put in batteries and three spark plugs. These articles were found in Brown's room.

Told Wife of Brown.

Meyers' wife, Ruth, 17 years old, mother of a 7-day-old baby girl, today told a Post-Dispatch reporter she had ideas her husband was a burglar. He had been out of work four weeks, she said, and he had told her of meeting a man named Brown who wore silk shirts and who told him he was foolish to work when he could live by stealing.

Meyers, she said, told her Brown boasted that he had stolen \$25,000 eight years ago and had been living on it ever since. She said she advised her husband to have nothing to do with Brown.

Mrs. Meyers said that recently her husband had stayed out all night.

MACHINE GUN SECTION FIRING UPON REBELS FROM BEHIND A BARRICADE IN THE SOUTH DUBLIN AREA.

U. S. PURPOSES TO DELAY NOTE TO GREAT BRITAIN

Action Taken Because of Implied Threat in Recent German Submarine Communication.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Secretary Lansing has announced America's next step in the negotiations with the entente allies regarding treatment of neutral commerce will be delayed on account of the implied threat contained in the German note of May 5 in which the Imperial Government expressed confidence that, in view of the new orders issued for submarine warfare, the United States would insist upon Great Britain observing the rules of international law in dealing with trade and commerce.

It was stated authoritatively today that Germany's note had complicated the situation, making it impossible for the United States to press its demands upon the allies at once without appearing to do so at the bidding of the Berlin Government, and consequently it was uncertain when a reply would go forth to the latest British communication.

Secretary Lansing announced yesterday that he had asked Ambassador Gerard at Berlin to ascertain the nature of the punishment imposed by the German Government on the commander of the submarine which damaged the steamer Sussex. He said the request was not in the nature of a formal inquiry to the German Government.

Watches and Diamonds on Credit.

Lerts Bros. & Co., 24 ft. 208 N. Sixth st.

GETS MUSIC FROM BASEMENT

Touches Button to Start It Through Cold Air Duct in Home.

BRAZIL, Ind., May 12.—H. E. Thompson, when he wishes music at his home, presses an electric button on the wall, and from the cold air duct and the registers of the hot air furnace come in succession 10 different selections, which are repeated until the electric switch is turned off.

The music is produced by a phonograph arrangement in the basement. A circular table is arranged with 10 records around it, all moved by an electric motor beneath the table. In the center of the table, pointing upward into the air duct, is a large plaster of paris horn, which is connected with the reproducing mechanism. After a record is played a cork roller carries the needle to the next record.

JUDD IS HERE TO BEGIN MAKING HIS SURVEY OF SCHOOLS

Work Starts With an Address to High School Teachers at Soldan.

Dr. Charles H. Judd, director of the School of Education of the University of Chicago, who has been given a commission by the Board of Education to make a survey of the St. Louis public schools, arrived in St. Louis this morning to address the principals and teachers at a meeting at the Soldan High School and make a preliminary inspection to enable him to outline the work to be done.

To a Post-Dispatch reporter before the meeting he said he hoped to obtain the services of six or seven experts in making the St. Louis survey. He will endeavor to get them together next week and begin the work next Monday.

The survey will continue until the close of the schools. The experts will then get together and formulate their report.

Different men will be assigned to the different phases of the subject. Dr. Judd hopes to obtain the services of Dr. H. C. Morrison, State Superintendent of Schools of New Hampshire, to look into the distribution and organization of supervision. Other men will look into the financial organization and the buildings and Dr. Judd himself will make the examination into the methods of instruction, with the aid of two or three assistants.

Supt. Eliott, in an address to the teachers, spoke about the conditions of the schools which had led the Board of Education to believe that a bond issue of \$3,000,000 would be necessary. In June, he said, the board saw that the funds were getting so short that new buildings could not be erected. It was found necessary to abandon the summer school and curtail the winter night schools. The bond issue had been decided on, he said, as the best method of meeting the situation.

He took occasion to deny a rumor that he had recommended wholesale reductions of salaries and because the board would not agree that he had decided to resign. He said there was absolutely no foundation to the rumor that he had recommended reductions of salaries.

The housewife who could simplify mother's "daily grind" can be found by a Post-Dispatch want ad. Have mother phone the want ad.

BRANDEIS SAW NO HARM IN MERGER, DRUG MAN SAYS

Director of United Drug Co. Testifies of Employing Supreme Court Nominee.

WASHINGTON, May 12.—Reopened hearing before the Senate Judiciary committee investigating the fitness of Louis D. Brandeis for the Supreme bench began and ended yesterday with the introduction of testimony regarding Brandeis' connection as counsel with the merger last January of the United Drug Co. and the Riker-Hagerman Drug Stores Co., and a statement by Commissioner Harlan that Brandeis' services to the Interstate Commerce Commission in the 5 per cent advance rate case were eminently satisfactory.

The subcommittee, which already has recommended, by a vote of 3 to 2, confirmation of the Brandeis' nomination, will draft a supplementary report when the new evidence has been printed. There was no indication today as to when a vote in the full committee might be expected.

Saw No Harm in Merger.

Louis K. Liggett of Boston, a director of the United Drug Co.; Frederick E. Snow, his attorney, and George W. Anderson, United States District Attorney at Boston, told of Brandeis being employed to give an opinion to Liggett as to the validity of the drug merger and the Brandeis' effort to convince Anderson that the consolidation was not in violation of the Sherman anti-trust law.

Anderson said he made a final report to the Department of Justice adverse to the merger on April 12 and he had not been informed as yet whether he should begin proceedings against the parties to it.

Commissioner Harlan stated that Brandeis was employed by the commission not to represent the shippers, but the public, in seeing that all the facts in the rate case were presented. He said he would have regarded it as failing in his duty if he had withheld any important conclusions he reached in regard to the case.

Both statements were drawn out in answer to criticisms of Brandeis because in his closing argument of the case he said the net operating revenues of the carriers were too small.

Senator Borah and Works cross-examined the Commissioner at length.

Services Called Satisfactory.

Senator Borah pointed out that in his letter to Brandeis employing him, Mr. Harlan had stated that the railroad would present their side fully, and asked Brandeis to undertake the

SWINGLEY ABSENT AFTER ASKING HIS SECRETARY TO QUIT

Question of Charter Violation Considered in Cases of C. S. Eggerman and C. S. Luce.

Charles E. Swingley, Director of Public Safety, who demanded the resignation of Charles S. Eggerman, his private secretary, on account of Eggerman's refusal, as a member of the Republican City Committee, to vote for the endorsement of John E. Swanger for Governor, did not appear at his office in the city hall this morning. Swingley was not at his office all day yesterday, and could not be reached by a reporter by telephone.

The city charter provides that every city official holding an office with an annual salary shall file an oath that he will be influenced only by consideration of fitness in the appointment, promotion, demotion, suspension or discharge of officers or employees. The Board of Aldermen has the power to remove from office any city official who violates his oath of office.

What the Charter Provides.

The charter also provides that "no person in the classified service or seeking admission thereto shall be appointed, reduced, suspended, discharged or in any way favored or discriminated against because of his political or religious opinions or affiliations."

Eggerman, as private secretary to Swingley, is not in the classified service, as each head of a department has the authority to select his secretary.

The only penalty for violating the provision of the city charter is removal from office. Charles S. Luce, who was fired from the Street Department by Street Commissioner Slater was in the classified service, and his discharge by Slater for political reasons is considered clearly a violation of the city charter.

City Counselor Dues said today that while the discharge of city employees for political reasons was a violation of the spirit of the charter, even where the employees were not subject to classified service, neither the Circuit Attorney nor the Prosecuting Attorney had any authority to institute a prosecution of an official for violation of the charter.

Faithfulness Considered Unlikely.

Dues said that he had not had the time to investigate the charter provisions to ascertain whether an official could be punished for violating the charter by discharging an employee for political reasons. He said he was inclined to believe that the official could not be punished, for the reason that a provision of the charter gives an official the power to discharge any employee for any reason.

The action of the administration in discharging the city employees who are favorable to the nomination of Judge Henry Lamm of Sedalia for Governor created a political sensation in St. Louis. Several Republican leaders from the interior of the State, who are delegates to the Republican national convention at Chicago, expressed surprise that the Kiel-Schmoll-Graves crowd would go to such a length to obtain support for Swanger.

SLAYER OF W. C. ANDERSON IS INDICTED FOR MURDER

Warrant Also Issued in Connection With Crime For Saloon Keeper Charged With Selling to Minors.

The grand jury, yesterday afternoon, returned an indictment against Eugene Hamilton, 30 years old, 137 South Ninth street, for murder in the first degree. On May 7 Hamilton shot and killed William C. Anderson, 32 years old, an automobile inspector, of 223 Montana avenue, who was returning from a dance hall at 4100 South Broadway, with his wife, and his 7-year-old daughter. As a development of the slaying, Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Wilson issued a warrant for Henry Cramer, proprietor of a saloon, adjoining the dance hall, for selling liquors to minors.

The warrant states that George Meder Jr., 16 years old, 322 Minnesota avenue, purchased liquor at the saloon. It is also alleged that Hamilton, accompanied by Margaret Butler, 15 years old, 416 South Eighth street, was drinking in the saloon, shortly before the shooting of Anderson.

MAN, 78, WEARS FIRST SHOES

Illinois Bachelor Also Seen First Vaudeville Show at Aurora.

AURORA, Ill., May 12.—Charles Sanders, born 78 years ago on a farm near Bald Mound, today wore his first pair of shoes and went to see his first vaudeville show. A pair of 50-cent jeans trousers, a blue overall coat with brass buttons and a sloop hat completed his costume.

Charles is a bachelor, owns a farm of 700 acres and has a fortune estimated by close friends at \$50,000.

TODAY IN CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, May 12. SENATE.

Fillbuster against Rivers and Harbors appropriation bill by Senators Sherman and Kenyon continued.

Debate on the rural credits bill continued.

burden of presenting the other side. The Commissioner replied that the statements quoted had to be taken in connection with others in the letter and that Brandeis was restrained to get before the commission a complete record of all sides of the case, which he did. He said he was sure he was voicing the sentiment of the members of the commission in saying Brandeis' work was satisfactory.

"It never occurred to me and I have never heard any of my colleagues criticize his actions," Harlan said.

MAKES APPEAL TO WOMEN TO END GREAT WAR

St. Louis Pianist, Brother-in-law of Schumann-Heink, Contralto, Outlines Plan.

Felix Heink of 1235 North Union Boulevard, pianist and composer, professor in the Strassberger Conservatory of Music and brother-in-law of Mme. Schumann-Heink, the noted contralto, has begun a movement to end the European war, which he hopes to accomplish through the aid and emotionalism of women.

Heink has styled his campaign The Women's International Anti-War propaganda, and his first appeal is made to women in an address which he has sent to 175 newspapers throughout the United States, and he hopes will reach the women's clubs, and bring forth pledges from their presidents to assist in getting the support of the club's membership for a cessation of hostilities.

Originator of the Plan.

Heink told a Post-Dispatch reporter today that he was financing the idea himself, and that he would not ask for contributions to forward "the movement." He is the originator of the plan, to prevail upon the President of the United States to take steps looking to putting an end to war. Like Mesures, he said, will be taken in Europe. Heink said he had taken the liberty to have someone see Mrs. Woodrow Wilson to urge her assistance in prevailing upon the President to urge peace, and that steps would be taken in Europe to interest the wives, mothers, sisters and daughters of the men in power to consider seriously anything that might stop bloodshed.

Heink said the necessity for such a movement was brought to his attention by a sad personal experience. He said he had lost many relatives in the war and an aunt had been driven insane before her death by the experiences of war. He said one of her sons was a prisoner in Siberia, another died before Verdun and a third was taken home wounded. The other three were still in the war, he said.

Men Fall to Stop War.

He declared the experience of his relatives was but one out of thousands of like cases. Heink asserted that men had tried to stop the war but have failed through processes of intellectualism, patriotism or egotism, but that women, through emotionalism and sense of the great wrong of war, if they could succeed, would demand that war stop and that they would not be reasoned out of it.

Heink declared in his address to women that patience with the war had ceased to be a virtue and that it is not only woman's right to demand that it be stopped, but that it is her mission, her duty, to see that it is.

The action of the administration in favor of patriotism and under the less vicious murder (falsely parading under the cloak of patriotism and under the less vicious murder) by appearing word "war" is banished forever from earth's surface.

DELBRUECK, VICE CHANCELLOR FOR GERMANY, RESIGNS POST

Minister of Interior, Who Is in Ill Health, Has Been Criticized for Present Post Situation.

BERLIN, May 12, by wireless to Sayville, N. Y.—Dr. Clemens Delbrueck, Minister of the Interior and Vice Chancellor, has resigned.

The Overseas News Agency says that Dr. Delbrueck's resignation is due to ill health. He is suffering from diabetes.

Clemens Delbrueck has been Minister of the Interior since June, 1914, when he succeeded Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, present German Chancellor. In the last few months he has been the subject of attacks in the German newspapers on account of the food situation.

Within the last few days the Paris newspapers have predicted that his resignation would be forced by the Emperor on account of the food riots which are reported to have occurred in the principal German cities.

3.50 Inches of Rain in 24 Hours.

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., May 12.—With 3.50 inches of rain in the 24 hours ending at midnight last night, St. Joseph experienced the heaviest rainfall for that period of time with one exception, in the history of the German weather observatory. The rain was accompanied by unusually low temperature, the mercury hovering around 55 degrees all day.

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GERMANY BLUFFS IN TALK OF PEACE, LORD CECIL SAYS

Hopes Thereby to Make Great Britain Relax Blockade, He Declares.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and the New York World.

LONDON, May 12.—In an interview with the Post-Dispatch correspondent, Lord Robert Cecil declared emphatically that his majesty's Government had not been approached by Germany through any medium whatever as to the possibility of peace. Only through the German Chancellor's speeches and in the last German note to the United States has this Government been made acquainted with such a desire of Germany.

Asked if any effort, informal or otherwise, had been made by the United States on the subject, he replied negatively, and said: "I don't think the United States or any other neutral would take any steps in that direction unless it felt that it would likely be acceptable to this country and its allies."

Lord Robert had not a very high opinion of Germany's peace feelers, adding: "They are not so inept and impossible as they were. I believe they are for American consumption. There is certainly no basis of negotiations in them. They might mean anything or nothing. It is pure nonsense to say Germany is willing to withdraw from Belgium, for it probably only means withdrawing soldiers. All this peace talk is German bluffing in the hope, most likely, to make Great Britain relax the blockade, which will not be done. They are, however, striking in the sense that they indicate difficulties in Germany. While I do not say these reports are true, the fact that they are repeated from all sides is convincing."

145,000 March in New York City for Preparedness

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usual Socialist argument about the workingman being forced into battle by the "masters," the capitalists.

Union labor—as such—was not in the parade. That fact was made much of by those opposed to today's showing and to increasing national defenses. But there were many union men in line as individuals. It is said, with the various trade or business organizations.

Nine hundred women were behind Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt Jr., as grand marshal, with Mrs. Borden Hartman bearing the white and gold banner, under the shadow of the Stars and Stripes.

Among those in the suffrage ranks were such leaders as Mrs. John Blair, Mrs. John Corbin, Dr. Alice Gregory, Miss Alice Carpenter; Mrs. Frederick Macmonnies at the head of a company of artists and sculptors; Mrs. John Hays Hammond, Mrs. Morton Smith, daughter of the late Paul Morton; Mrs. Richard Hunt, Miss Ida B. Simonton and Mrs. W. R. Stewart. Miss Spence of the Spence School, leader of a band of teachers, and Mrs. Everett Menzies Raynor the Daughters of the Revolution.

Though the anti-suffragists have officially endorsed preparedness and are actively engaged in every phase of the movement, they took no part in the parade. "Believing woman's place is not in the firing line, but outside of it," they established two emergency "first aid" stations to minister to any marcher who might fall by the wayside.

Although Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt, the Colonel's wife, and her daughter-in-law and her daughter, Mrs. Richard Derby, were in line, Col. Roosevelt did not march. It is understood that although he approves most enthusiastically of the parade, he thought he should not, for political reasons, be a marcher.

For the official grand stand at Twenty-fourth street, which holds about 200 persons, there were applications for more than 100,000 tickets. Some of them, placed on sale at the nominal price of 40 cents, were sold for 12 and 25 apiece.

Snow in the Black Hills.

DEARBOURNE, S. D., May 12.—Four to six inches of snow fell over the Black Hills region yesterday. Slight damage is being done by nightly frosts.

Morganthau to Talk on Turkey.

PHILADELPHIA, May 12.—Henry Morganthau, former Ambassador to Turkey, will speak here Monday afternoon under the auspices of the Armenian Relief Committee, on the subject of "The Oppressed in Turkey."

SALES

The first and the last word in advertising efficiency and sales to the consumer are closely watched by the advertiser when he spends his good money in a newspaper.

Therefore, the St. Louis advertisers by checking up their results, always choose the Post-Dispatch for quick and profitable returns as they again did yesterday, Friday, when they bought

102 Cols.

in the Post-Dispatch alone, while 108 cols. satisfied them in all four of the other St. Louis papers added together.

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The Post-Dispatch circulation reaches practically every worth-while home in St. Louis and suburbs.

Last Sunday.....369,010

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"FIRST IN EVERYTHING"

SOLDIERS HURRIED THROUGH CITY EN ROUTE TO BORDER

Some of Field and Coast Artillerymen Have Time to Get Only Part of Equipment.

FIELD CANNON CARRIED

Abundance of Shrapnel Shells on Trains—To Reach Destination Sunday.

Among the hundreds of soldiers who passed through St. Louis last night on their way to the Mexican border was a trainload of the Third Field Artillery, which was dispatched from Reading, Pa., with so short notice that the men were without side arms and full equipment.

"Not even a pistol," said a rangy trooper, who expressed keen desire to get to the border. "Little or no ammunition and without most of the things we'll need down there," he added.

This contingent was under command of Capt. Mortimer, who said he thought their equipment would follow on another train. Battery D received orders to entrain at Reading while it was marching across country to Tobyhanna, Pa., to participate in a militia summer training camp. It had been on the march 14 days and had left all its heavy luggage, including the 45-caliber revolvers with which the field artillery are armed, at its base, to be brought up later.

Captain Meets Relatives. Another special train over the Pennsylvania last night carried the 11th Coast Artillery, under command of Capt. H. D. Matthews. Capt. Matthews was met at the station by his sister, Mrs. J. T. Elder, of Martinsburg, and his sister-in-law, Mrs. Peyton, of 4254 Page boulevard. His train remained only a half hour and his chat with his relatives was brief.

The 11th arrived about 6 o'clock and the men had supper on the train as it stood at the shed. Two troopers were sent out for a big can of coffee and others were delegated to serve the men on little tin plates. They had salmon, bread, pickles, coffee and butter.

These men, whose regular duty is to man the heavy guns of the coast defenses, are going to the border as infantry. They carried "full packs" consisting of rifle, cartridge belt, shelter tent, half, bayonet and blanket. They came from Fort Dupont, Delaware City, Del. There were 85 men and two officers in the three sleeping cars.

The Third Field Artillery traveled on a much heavier train. Besides the full complement of 117 men they had seven car loads of horses, and they had their full equipment of field guns.

The field guns and their caissons were loaded on three flat cars. There were four three-inch guns and three caissons, or ammunition carriers. The guns had been newly painted and looked like they were just from the foundry. They were equipped to fire high explosive shrapnel shells.

"These shells," a trooper exclaimed, "are loaded with 200 small balls and they are exploded by a time fuse that can be set for any range. When the shell explodes its contents are scattered in every direction. With a solid shot the range of the guns is greater."

PROPOSES TO CONDEMN 17 BLOCKS FOR BRIDGE TERMINAL

Alderman Haller's Resolution Is Referred to Public Utilities Committee.

A resolution directed to the Board of Public Service to prepare a bill providing for the condemnation of 17 city blocks in Mill Creek Valley, at an estimated cost of more than \$100,000, for public railroad terminals in connection with the Free Bridge, was referred to the Public Utilities Committee by the Board of Aldermen yesterday when Alderman Julius Haller attempted to have it adopted.

Alderman Barney L. Schwartz objected to action on the resolution until the Aldermen have an opportunity to learn its import and effect.

The district described in the bill is between Chouteau avenue and Gratiot street, Seventh and Eighteenth streets, and abuts on the present railroad yards between Gratiot and Poplar streets.

Alderman Haller also introduced a bill amending an ordinance of 1912, by substituting the Director of Streets and Sewers for the Street Commissioner, and a member of a Free Bridge Commission which will have power to issue and revoke permits for the use of the railroad deck of the Free Bridge.

NEGRO BOY SCOUTS ATTACKED

One of Them Is Wounded by Bullet White Youth Fired.

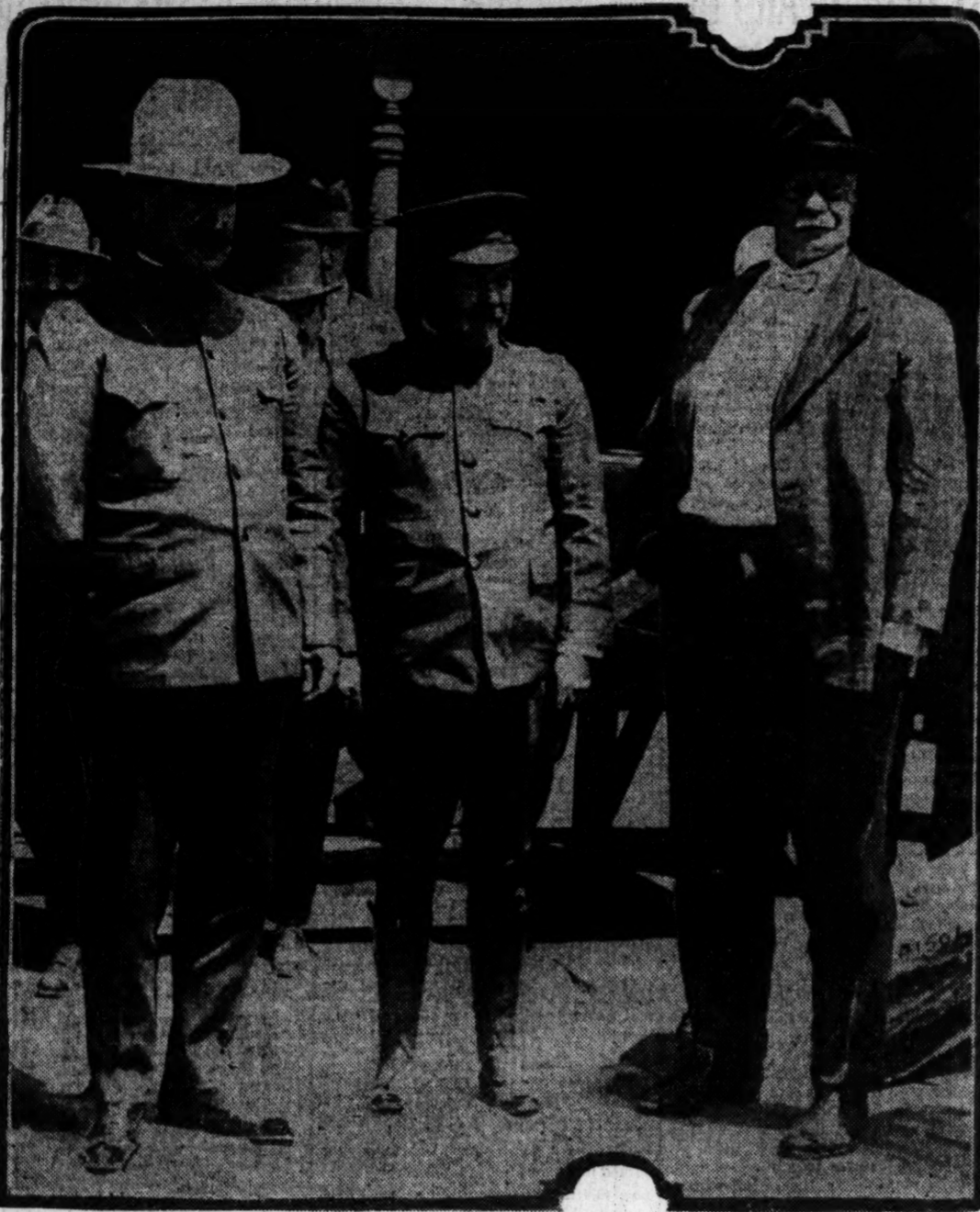
Three negro boy scouts, after leaving the assembly hall at 248 Randolph street, were surrounded by a crowd of about 15 white boys ranging in age from 13 to 16, at Twenty-third and Walnut streets last night.

"Pipe the Mexicans," shouted one of the whites, whereupon he and his companions began hurling bricks at the negroes. The negroes ran away and when they huddled together in a doorway one of the white boys fired a shot at them. A bullet entered the right thigh of William Burns Roberts, 11 years old, colored, of 243 Laclede avenue. The white boys scattered and Roberts was taken to the city hospital. Two suspects were arrested.

Homeless Wife Gets \$1000 Alimony. Mrs. Mercer Cochran Trant yesterday obtained a divorce by default from George S. Trant, of 244 Kingsbury boulevard, a merchandise broker, alleging that he failed to comfort her when she was homeless but suggested that she return to her parents in Memphis, Tenn.

She was allowed alimony at the rate of \$1000 a year.

American and Mexican Representatives at Their Final Conference at El Paso



LEFT TO RIGHT: GEN. OBREGON, GEN. FUNSTON, GEN. SCOTT.

WOMAN'S BODY FOUND IN POND, ROPE ABOUT HER NECK

Husband and Another Woman Arrested, Declare They Are Innocent of the Crime.

BENTON, Ill., May 12.—The husband of Mrs. Welka Kral, who was found dead in a pond near Christopher with her head crushed and a rope drawn around her neck, is under arrest; here, together with Mrs. Geneva Voss, charged with the murder of the woman. Both of the prisoners declare they are innocent. The theory of the officers is that Mrs. Kral was killed that Kral and Mrs. Voss might marry.

Miners going to work found the body of Mrs. Kral. The rope, which had been drawn tightly around her neck, cut the flesh. There were also bruises on her neck.

The police were unable to find any trace of a struggle having occurred on the bank of the pond. It is believed that Mrs. Kral was killed some distance from the pond and her body carried there and thrown in.

Mrs. Voss, who says her home is in Wyoming, came to Christopher a week ago.

WORLD'S FAIR DIRECTORS TO FORM HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Apply for Incorporation Papers and Will Use \$100,000 Left Over for Public's Benefit.

A petition to incorporate the Louisiana Purchase Historical Association was filed in the Circuit Court today, the application being signed by practically all of the surviving directors of the Louisiana Purchase Exposition.

The purpose of the proposed association is to use approximately \$100,000 now in the exposition company's treasury for the purpose of endowing a historical museum and library, to be maintained for the public benefit.

The resolution which provided for the building of the Jefferson Memorial also authorized the establishment of such a museum.

The \$100,000 if divided among the stockholders would amount to only 6 2-3 cents on each share. Practically all the large stockholders have endorsed the historical museum project.

BRIDE FAINTS AFTER HUSBAND IS TAKEN ON BIGAMY CHARGE

Father Reported to Have Offered Arrest for Her Recovery and Arrest of Man She Wed.

Mrs. Lucille Ord, 20 years old, of 235 Olive street, a bride of 10 weeks, fainted twice after being taken to police headquarters by detectives today.

Mrs. Ord's husband, T. G. Ord, 36, was arrested last night on a telegram from Gatesville, Tex., authorities, saying he was wanted there for bigamy, as it was alleged he had a wife in Houston when he married Miss Lucille Hall.

The reason for taking Mrs. Ord to headquarters was that the police here were informed that her father had offered \$100 reward for Ord's arrest and for the recovery of his daughter.

St. Louisans Get Offices. CINCINNATI, May 12.—Joseph N. Weber of New York was re-elected president yesterday at the annual convention of the American Federation of Musicians. Other officers re-elected were: Secretary, Owen Miller, St. Louis; and Treasurer, Otto Ostendorf, St. Louis.

The Post-Dispatch is the only evening newspaper in St. Louis that receives and publishes news gathered by the Associated Press.

Gen. Carranza Is to Be Urged to Sign Protocol

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of immediate change here today. President Wilson is cruising down the Chesapeake Bay on the yacht Mayflower and is not expected to return before Sunday or Monday. Secretary Baker is on a week-end trip to Atlantic City and Newark, N. J.

Gen. Hugh L. Scott, chief of staff, who is on his way to Washington from El Paso, is expected here early next week and administration officials probably will confer at length with him before taking up diplomatic discussions with Eliseo Arredondo, Carranza Ambassador-Designate.

War Department authorities emphasized that although Brigadier-General Pershing is concentrating his forces in Mexico and shortening his line to 216 miles, he is ready to dash southward still further if definite reports should be received of Villa or his bandits.

Gen. Carranza has given no indication. Special Agent Rodgers at Mexico City reported today of renewing immediately through diplomatic channels his suggestion that American troops be withdrawn from Mexico. Eliseo Arredondo, his ambassador here, telegraphed yesterday for instructions to guide him in informal conversations he expects to have with Secretary Lansing.

Consular dispatches today said the only Mexican troop movements of importance in the border region were the dispatch of forces from Sonora into the Yaqui Valley where Indians are threatening new outbreaks and the movements of parts of the Sinaloa garrison into the Big Bend vicinity to check bandit raids.

FUNSTON SAYS ALLEGED INTERVIEW WITH HIM IS WHOLLY FALSE

EL PASO, Tex., May 12.—Maj. Gen. Funston, before leaving here last night, said that an alleged interview with him, printed in the Brooklyn Eagle, was false in every particular, from top to bottom. He was much exercised over the publication and employed the strongest language at his command to emphasize his denial.

In the purported interview he was quoted as saying that if the army had had co-operation from Washington, Villa would have been dead and the troops back at their posts long ago, and that the whole situation was so bad he had to go into his bathroom and lock the door for opportunity to express his real feelings with safety. An attempt was made to convey the impression that Funston had offered to resign rather than withdraw his forces from Mexico.

SARAH BERNHARDT AT FRONT

PARIS, May 12.—Sarah Bernhardt returned today from the front, where she gave six performances in three days to the soldiers.

"Nothing could be more moving," said Mme. Bernhardt, "than playing before such heroes. It was the incomparable event of my life. The warmth and heartiness of their applause was most touching. I was delighted with my trip. I even persuaded Gen. B. to take me to a place near Font-a-Mousson which is usually bombarded by the Germans. The General refused at first, but then consented, saying: 'Since you insist, very well. You are worthy, Madame, to be at the post of danger.' I regard that as the highest compliment that has ever been paid to me in my whole life."

MAJ. LANGHORNE IN DASH TO TRY TO SURPRISE BANDITS

Expected to Be Fifty Miles Into Mexico With Cavalry Squadron by Tonight.

MARATHON, Tex., May 12.—Maj. George T. Langhorne and his flying squadron of the Eighth Cavalry are dashing over the white-sanded hills in Mexico today in an effort to surprise the Mexican raiders of Glenn Springs and Boquillas. They are trying to rescue alive, if possible, Jesse Deemer and two other Americans, John Woodson and F. Balsworth, according to information reaching here today.

The crossing was made yesterday and military men here believe that by tonight Maj. Langhorne will have covered 50 miles in the chase after the bandits, who last were reported at a point 70 miles south of the border from Boquillas, in an abandoned cave.

Capt. behind Maj. Langhorne is Col. A. C. Macomb and a detachment of the Fourteenth Cavalry, whose business it will be to furnish supplies and forage to Langhorne and to fight off snipers.

PERSHING'S MEN IN LITTLE DANGER

By B. C. UTECHT.

A Staff Correspondent of the Post-Dispatch and the New York World. PERSHING'S HEADQUARTERS, May 5, via Columbus, N. M., May 12.—Despite rumors that the American forces are surrounded, menaced on all sides and in a trap, there is less danger here than along the border.

The American troops are scattered along a line nearly 300 miles long, but no large force of Mexicans could approach without sufficient warning to enable each base to concentrate men at any certain point.

So far in this campaign no artillery has been used, no trenches have been dug except for defense purposes at a few of the bases, and the bayonet has been used in rare instances—chiefly because the enemy ran too fast. Nor have many prisoners been captured in any battle, for the same reason, perhaps.

Mexican Bandits Reported to Have Raided Mining Camp on Border. TUCSON, ARIZ., May 12.—Mexican bandits are reported to have raided Polaris, a mining camp, seven miles below Lochiel, on the border, Thursday, driving out the Americans, who escaped to Nogales in automobiles. Col. Sage, commanding at Nogales, sent a company of infantry and 20 cavalrymen to guard Lochiel, Washington Camp and enable towns on the American side.

A telephone message from Washington Camp stated that American soldiers crossed the line and visited Polaris Camp, but the bandits had fled.

Concert at Tower Grove Hall. A concert will be given by the Society of Practical Christianity tonight at Tower Grove Turner Hall, Grand avenue and Junata street. Among the entertainers will be Miss Ethel Knobloch, violinist; Miss Clara W. Knau, dancer; Chester L. Nordman, reader, and B. E. Lemen, tenor.

ELEPHANT BUTTE IRRIGATION DAM IS COMPLETED

Blocks Canyon of Rio Grande, Forming Greatest Storage Reserve in World.

By Associated Press. ELEPHANT BUTTE, N. M., May 12.—Work was completed here today on the Elephant Butte Dam, a United States reclamation project, which, by damming the Rio Grande River, forms the greatest storage reserve in the world. Construction began five years ago. The reservoir will feed an irrigation system that will water 185,000 acres of land in New Mexico, Texas and Mexico. The dam blocks a canyon of the Rio Grande, 120 miles north of El Paso.

It is the fifth of the Government's big irrigation projects and will store the entire flow and flood of the river. The reservoir will hold 115,000,000 cubic feet of water, which, reclamation service experts say, would cover the State of Delaware to a depth of two feet.

Dam 315 Feet High. The dam stands 315 feet high and is 1574 feet long. It provides a roadway across the canyon 15 feet wide and at its base is 23 feet thick. Territory to be irrigated by the reservoir lies in four valleys. For each of these a diversion dam and main canals are being constructed. Twenty-five thousand acres of the land is on the Mexico side of the river, near Juarez. More than half of it is virgin, with a small acreage owned by the Government.

The Government before beginning construction of the dam laid out a town equipped with modern conveniences, electric lights, water and sewerage; stores, schools, hospitals, hotels and a theater. At times as many as 4000 persons lived in the town, whose government was entirely under the jurisdiction of the engineers. A railway was constructed through 15 miles of rough country to connect the town with a main line railroad.

KILLED ANOTHER'S BRIDE AND SELF BECAUSE HE LOVED HER

Rich Missouri Farmer Leaves Note Revealing Why He Shot Step-daughter.

WILLIAMSVILLE, Mo., May 12.—A note left by Arthur Goodman, who fatally shot his stepdaughter, Mrs. Evelyn Hawthorne, 17 years old, and killed himself, revealed that his love of the girl was the cause of the rich farmer's act. Goodman declared in the note that he and the girl wished to die together. Mrs. Hawthorne, who lived about two hours after she was shot, denied there was an agreement between them or that she knew of Goodman's intention to kill her, but said the tragedy was caused by his love for her. The girl was a bride of less than a week, having been married to George Hawthorne, a young man of Williamsville, last Sunday. Goodman had one child, in his note he asked his wife to forgive him and told her how to provide for their infant.

"There is literally no one whom I would be so anxious to have say what you have said of me," "With hearty thanks, Faithfully yours, THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

Two Great Favorites of the Movie Fans. Virginia Pearson and Clara Kimball Young in beautiful Rotogravure pictures is only a part of this pleasing and exclusive picture section with the Big Sunday Post-Dispatch tomorrow.

You will also want the big wide directory with its MOVING PICTURE announcements to use in planning your next week's pleasures.

The following MOVING PICTURE THEATERS will advertise in the MOVING PICTURE column on the first wide page of the BIG REAL ESTATE and Want Directory with the Sunday Post-Dispatch:

Arsenal Theater, Cherokee Theater, Cindersella Theater, Easton-Taylor Theater, Eighteenth Street Theater, Gravois Theater, Majestic Theater, Monroe Theater, Mogie Theater, New Union Theater, O'Fallon Theater, New Pesta Theater, Plaza Theater, Plymouth Theater, St. Louis Alhambra, Union Theater, Warner Bros.

Watch for their announcements. Go to the shows. The theater managers are aiming to give the moviegoer the best in the MOVING PICTURE line, and are deserving support. A GOOD MOVING picture show cheers, rests, refreshes, stirs the imagination, lifts us from ourselves, makes us forget our troubles—and educates—it is one of the best educational factors of today!

Will Pay Liberal for Information. Here is the proposition: Phone or write us the name and address of any prospective buyer of pleasure or commercial automobile. We will file your name and address and remit a good commission when deal is consummated. WILSON MOTOR CAR CO., Studebaker Dealers, Grand and Lafayette ave. Victor 3439. Grand 4000.

WAGON FRACTURES BOY'S SKULL

Lad on Wheel Thrown Under Vehicle in Collision.

Joseph Frein, 14 years old, of 1150A Bayard avenue, riding a bicycle at Nineteenth and Pine streets last night, collided with a wagon of the Adams Express Co. and was thrown beneath the wheels of a wagon, belonging to the Wells-Fargo Express Co. His skull was fractured. John O'Toole, driver of the Wells-Fargo wagon, was arrested.

Harry Doherty, 10 years old, of 2012 North Tenth street, ran from behind a McKinley car at Twelfth and Chambers streets and was knocked down by an automobile. He was cut and bruised. The driver of the auto left cards bearing the name of A. E. Gansman, 1512 Locust street, at the boy's home. No arrest was made.

ACTION IN BOND CASES

Circuit Attorney Finds Three Men on Forfeited Papers Have Property.

Circuit Attorney Harvey announced today that an investigation of bond forfeitures which have not been collected has resulted in the discovery that F. O. Lange, Morris Gesser and Harry Anstie, each on a bond for \$500, have property.

The cases in which Lange and Gesser are the bondsmen are pending before the Governor. The Circuit Attorney will await the action of the Governor in those cases. He will notify the Sheriff to proceed against Anstie.

Fighters on Canoe Trip Missing. NEWDORP, N. Y., May 12.—Search was instituted by the police of Staten Island tonight for two Chicago pugilists, Joseph Welling and Andre Anderson, who went canoeing early in the day and failed to return. Welling, a lightweight, and Anderson, a heavyweight, had been in training at a camp here.

Last year the Post-Dispatch printed 43,724 Male Help Wanted Ads. Just 11,002 more than its nearest competitor.

EDISON INDORSES ROOSEVELT FOR NEXT PRESIDENT

Believes Colonel Is "Absolutely the Only Man" That Should Be Considered.

Special to the Post-Dispatch. OYSTER BAY, N. Y., May 12.—Thomas A. Edison, inventor, head of President Wilson's Naval Consulting Board, and close friend of Henry Ford, is out for Roosevelt. He declares unequivocally for the Colonel in a letter to Guy Emerson, secretary of the Roosevelt Non-Partisan League, made public here today. Edison writes:

"Orange, N. Y., May 10, 1916.—Mr. Guy Emerson, Secretary Roosevelt Non-Partisan League, 12 Vanderbilt avenue, New York.—Answering your question by my views of Col. Roosevelt for our next President, I would say that I believe he is absolutely the ONLY man that should be considered at this crucial period. He has more real statesmanship, a better grasp of the most important needs of this country, and a greater executive ability to handle the big international problems that will arise at the close of the war, than all the other candidates put together. His energy, capacity and vast experience in large affairs of state and nation for many years, together with his great patriotism and his intense Americanism, and his great knowledge in all lines of human endeavor, make him decidedly the most striking figure in American life. Yours very truly,

"THOMAS A. EDISON."

The Colonel answered as follows: "Mr. Dear Mr. Edison—I am so profoundly touched by your letter concerning me that I am going to ask the Roosevelt Non-Partisan League to give it to me. I wish to hand it over to my children."

"There is literally no one whom I would be so anxious to have say what you have said of me."

"With hearty thanks, Faithfully yours, THEODORE ROOSEVELT."

Three More Women Appointed ON THE POLICE FORCE

Will Not Wear Uniforms or Badge for Present—Will Be Without Power to Make Arrests.

Three additional policewomen were appointed by the Police Board yesterday to reinforce Miss Laura Kinkead, who has been serving five months. They are Miss Nellie Quick, 416A Laclede avenue; Mrs. Mary Gibson, 375 Marcus avenue; and Mrs. Margaret A. Healy, 318 Laclede avenue. They will work under the direction of Chief Neill, who will assign them to Union Station, department stores, dance halls and such places. They will wear no uniform or badge and for the present will not have the power of making arrests.

Mrs. Gibson was formerly matron at the city hospital. Miss Quick has been connected with the State Employment Bureau.

Mrs. William Kennedy, 4401 Evans avenue was appointed a matron for the Central District holdover, to assist Mrs. Nora Fitzgerald, appointed a few weeks ago, in looking after the women prisoners there.

Diamond Rings, Pay \$1 a Week. Loftis Bros. & Co., 24 ft. 308 N. Sixth st.

RECEPTION FOR A. E. RUMP

Friends to Call on Invalid Who Carries on Business in Bed.

Friends and neighbors of Arthur E. Rump of 6216 Columbia avenue, who for six years has been bedfast from an injury but who carries on an extensive magazine subscription business by mail and telephone, will attend a birthday reception at his home tomorrow from 2 to 5 and from 7 to 9 p. m. and also on Monday from 7 to 9 p. m.

Rump will be 42 years old Monday and a committee of Clifford Heister, citizens, with Cal. S. Nicholson of 6239 Old Manchester road as chairman, has arranged the celebration as a recognition of the fortitude, courage and optimism of the invalid.

Unexpected guests get an unexpected treat when the ice box holds

Club Cocktails

ready to serve, ready to please; blended to a charm and smooth as silk.

BELL-ANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

REPORT WOMAN WAS EXECUTED IN AUSTRIA OFFICIALLY DENIED

Daughter of Bohemian Independence Agitator Is Said, However, to Be Under Arrest.

John Schwegel, consul of Austria-Hungary in St. Louis, has asked the Post-Dispatch to print the substance of an official statement issued by the Austro-Hungarian embassy, regarding the case of Miss Alice G. Masaryk. It was recently reported that Miss Masaryk had been executed by order of the Austrian Government. The embassy states that it has inquired by wireless and has been assured from Vienna that the rumor of an execution is without foundation. The young woman is under arrest, the Government stated in its reply, and her preliminary trial is pending.

Miss Masaryk, according to this statement, is the daughter of a well-known agitator for the creation of an independent Bohemian kingdom, under the protection of Russia. The young woman, an was a teacher before her arrest, which is supposed to have been on a charge of political agitation. The exact degree of the offense charged is not known to the embassy, which states that "it may be that the offense is not of such serious nature that capital punishment will come into consideration."

REFUSES TO ISSUE WARRANT FOR RICHARD SEEBERGER

Prosecutor Decides There Is No Evidence of Wrong Doing Against Webster Groves Man.

Assistant Circuit Attorney Thomas refused yesterday afternoon to issue a warrant against Richard Seeberger, 50 years old, of Webster Groves, who was arrested Thursday evening as he was entering a winery at Fifteenth and Market streets, with Miss Hattie Brown, 15 years old, of 1016 Page boulevard. Seeberger and Mrs. Rachel Brown, mother of the girl, are involved in litigation at Clayton over some land. The girl was in court at Clayton Wednesday, she says, when Seeberger, asked her to meet him in the evening. She consulted her mother's attorney, Seneca Taylor, and was told by him to keep the appointment. She did so, and detectives who were waiting arrested Seeberger.

Seeberger told the police he believed his arrest was a frameup. He said Miss Brown told him she was singing in a cabaret and asked him to come and hear her.

Thomas, when the information was laid before him by the police, decided that there was no evidence to justify the prosecution of Seeberger.

MAN WHO WORE SON'S SILK SHIRT FINED FOR FIGHTING

Charles Smith Jr. Testifies Father Objected to Taking Off Fine Raiment.

Wearing a silk shirt and a tailor-made suit belonging to his ten-year-old son, Charles Smith, a shoemaker, went out to look for a job. He didn't find it, but he was so pleased with the feel of the silk shirt and the set of the suit that he demurred when the son, Charles Smith Jr., returned to their home at 2610 Geyer avenue and demanded that he take them off.

The resulting family fight led to the senior Smith being fined \$200, by Provisional Judge O'Connor, in police court today.

The son told of his effort to induce his father to doff the fine raiment which had improved his personal appearance but had failed to get a job for him.

"After a great deal of arguing he took off the coat, but when I tried to get him to take off the pants he hit me with a salt jar," said the junior Smith. "Then my mother got into the argument and he tried to hit her."

Mrs. Smith testified that her husband was quarrelsome and that she had had him up as a defendant in police court 14 or 15 times in their 25 years of married life.

Mrs. Booth Clibborn

At the Washington and Compton Avenue Church.

11 a. m., prayer meeting. 11 a. m., "The Secret," The Marchals. 2 p. m., for the week, The Marchals. 8 p. m., for the week, The Marchals. 8 p. m., W. C. A., 1411 Locust street; vespers, Miss Victoria. Tuesday, May 16, at 8 p. m., The Story of Mr. Lee, by Mrs. E. E. Heister. By request of The Marchals. A silver offering will be taken for this most wonderful lecture, full of the miracles of salvation among prisoners, peasants, and slaves. The proceeds go to the work The Marchals is doing.

THE DAILY NEWSPAPER

EVERY YEAR EVERY MONTH EVERY DAY

Opportunities come to those who make them.

This is especially true if business—and a mighty good thought for today.

We are now in an era of expansion.

Factories are driving hard. Labor is in demand. Incomes are rising.

Today holds the opportunity of a lifetime

for the man who will make it.

Particularly does this go for the man with something to sell.

People are in a buying mood.

Business is ripe. The man who sees this is going after it. He is advertising, as the columns of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch will show, and he is getting results.

YOKUM TELLS HOW HE PLANNED TO DIVIDE FUSE FEE

Sister-in-Law of J. W. Allison,
Capromoter, Down for \$105,-
000 of \$475,000 Commission.

GAVE ALLISON \$25,000

Three Others to Get \$90,000,
He Testifies at Cana-
dian Court Inquiry.

OTTAWA, Ont., May 12.—Benjamin F. Yokum of New York is expected to continue his testimony here next Wednesday in connection with the Kite charges concerning the fuse contract let by the Canadian Shell Commission to Yokum and his associates. Yokum's direct examination was not nearly completed at adjournment yesterday, when he departed for New York.

Yokum had the entire fuse transaction and the incidents leading up to it, connecting J. Wesley Allison, a friend of Sir Sam Hughes, Canadian Minister of Militia, with the negotiations for the contract, Allison to share in the benefits.

Yokum, who was largely instrumental in getting the fuse order and was to receive a large remuneration for that work, but who had only a small interest in the American Ammunition Co., which was formed to fill the contract, declined to say who his associates were, except to volunteer that none were Canadians.

D. Cadwell, one of the largest stockholders of the ammunition company, who preceded Yokum as a witness, said in his testimony he had been informed that one of the persons interested with Yokum was a Mr. Shonta of New York.

Yokum said in his testimony that of the \$1,000,000 commission which was to be paid for obtaining the fuse contract, he was to receive \$475,000, and this he was to divide with Allison for Allison's assistance in the negotiations. Allison, however, had given instructions for the payment of his share to other persons, Yokum said.

According to Yokum, who said he would produce the papers, the payments were to be made as follows:

To Mable Edwards, sister-in-law and secretary to Allison, \$105,000.

To Maj. George Washington Stephens, Montreal, \$100,000.

To Col. William McEln, a protégé of Gen. Sir Sam Hughes, \$30,000.

To Eugene Lignanti, \$50,000.

The money, however, is being paid as refunded from the War Office following the delivery of fuses, and so far only \$24,717 has been remitted. Out of this \$24,717 payments have been made as follows: To Stephens, \$12,000; McEln, \$13,333; Lignanti, \$500; and Miss Edwards, \$15,000.

Tells Life History.
Yokum began with a detailed history of himself and was very frank in telling of his relations with Allison. He said that while he had known him casually before, his business relations with Allison began only in February, 1914. At that time the medium in bringing them together was H. J. Mackel, an Ottawa man, who had helped engineer the Russian shell order for the Canadian War Office.

Shortly after meeting Allison, Yokum and he created two corporations, the British-American Co. and the Allison Supply Co. They were designed to carry on the war business, but subsequently "they were disbanded."

Yokum said he afterward heard of another concern, the J. W. Allison Co., formed to take a part in the Canadian Russian order, but he was not interested in it.

Yokum next told of having paid \$25,000 to Allison for "his association," and of receiving an agreement was made whereby in respect of any commissions obtained Allison and he were to be on a fifty-fifty basis.

Conferred With Hughes.
Last April he went to Allison and interested him in proposed cartridge contracts for large amounts. He came to Ottawa and met Gen. Sir Sam Hughes, Allison, who was to share in any commission, being with the Minister of Militia at the time.

The cartridge proposition did not go through, but on the occasion of their visit Yokum heard of the fuse contract and was "tipped off to go after it." He was told that the price which he would have to figure against was \$130. Then he detailed proceedings leading up to the contract which confirmed Cadwell's evidence.

Yokum said he had informed Gen. Bertram and Gen. Hughes of his understanding with Allison, Yokum said: "No; that was our business."

One of the parties who had in the earlier evidence been mentioned as having given information leading to the fuse contract, was J. E. Craven, who resided in New York, but belongs to the firm of T. McAvity of St. John, N. B.

Yokum swore that Allison went to him and urged that Craven be settled with \$30,000, Yokum explaining that Allison having represented that through Craven, the McAvity firm there was a prospect of \$200,000 foreign orders.

The \$30,000 was to be deducted from the \$1,000,000 to be divided between Allison and Yokum.

Cadwell in his testimony stated that the lack of the American Ammunition Co., constituted of advances from the Shell Commission, some advances, \$600,000 unpaid subscriptions and, most valuable of all, credit.

Yokum had only \$25,000 stock in the company and E. W. Bassick none. It was then suggested that the witness state that this was a matter of private business and was something he would prefer not to answer.

Girl Who Eloped With Lawyer and Was Married in St. Charles



MRS. JAMES E. DEE.

James E. Dee, a lawyer of 422 Cottage avenue, and Miss Emma K. Thuermer of 13 Windermere place grew tired of waiting for their wedding day, which had been set for June 23, and went to St. Charles Thursday and were married there.

The monotony of waiting, according to Dee, was the only reason that the wedding took place ahead of the time set. There had been no formal announcement of their engagement, he said, but he had the consent of Miss Thuermer's father, Charles Thuermer, without which, he says, he would not have married. He did mention to his sister, Margaret, that they were to be married Saturday, but Thursday suited them better.

On their return from St. Charles they went to their separate homes. Last night Dee was at the Thuermer home when inquiries caused them to confess that they had been married, and, Dee says, they received the family blessing.

When Dee was called on the telephone this morning by a Post-Dispatch reporter and asked to tell about the wedding, he said: "I don't know anything about it. It is all a mistake. Good-by."

When he was seen at his office he told all about it. He and Miss Thuermer, he said, were schoolmates at the Cots Irrillante School and the Yeatman High School. Dee graduated from St. Louis University Law School four years ago. He is 32. His wife is 22.

METHODISTS KEEP "OPEN SHOP" PLAN IN BOOK CONCERN

Decline to Give Unions Preference; Would Let Members
Dance, Attend Theaters.

SARATOGA SPRINGS, N. Y., May 12.—By a vote of 447 to 230 the Methodist General Conference today eliminated that part of the report of the commission on social service which declared that a preference should be given union labor in all matters affecting employment "insofar as its methods are just, and insofar as the rights of unorganized men are not infringed upon."

The proposal in the report involved abandoning the "open shop" policy which has prevailed in the publishing plants of the Methodist Book Concern.

Members who play cards, dance and attend the theaters will no longer be liable to expulsion if recommendations made by a subcommittee of the general conference, which has been considering the question of amendments to be adopted by the conference, are adopted by the conference.

The report was offered to the main committee late yesterday and after an acrimonious discussion, action was deferred until Monday.

By a vote of 10 to 2, the subcommittee recommended the elimination from the book of discipline of the clause prohibiting these amusements, and offered as a substitute an additional paragraph in which warning is made against these diversions. The effect of the proposed change is to remove the absolute prohibition, but to place the church on record as still strongly opposed to these forms of amusement. A minority report was submitted advising the retention of the paragraph as it now stands.

It was maintained by those favoring removal of the restriction that the penalty is not enforced in any church and that the effect upon the young people will be much greater if a provision that cannot be enforced is withdrawn, and a general warning issued that the church does not sanction "dancing, playing at games of chance, attending theaters, horse races, circuses, dancing parties or patronizing dancing schools." Opposition to the change is based on the allegation that it means the church is "letting down the bars."

MAKING NOSE FOR SCOTLAND Alabama Factory Works Day and Night on Foreign Orders.

TUSCALOOSA, Ala., May 12.—The Rosenau Hosiery Mills have received an order from Scotland for 80,000 pairs of hose, and orders are being filled for other foreign countries.

As a result of the demand the mills are running day and night, and have increased their force from 200 to 465, and the weekly pay roll by 120 per cent.

BELL-ANS Absolutely Removes Indigestion. One package proves it. 25c at all druggists.

ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE DOES IT

TIRE OF WAITING FOR WEDDING DAY, SO COUPLE ELOPE

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BILLY SUNDAY PROMISES TO COME HERE CONDITIONALLY

Spirit of Harmony Must Prevail at
Time Late Is Fixed Which at
Present Is Not Definite.

KANSAS CITY, May 12.—Billy Sunday last night gave a conditional promise that he would hold a series of meetings in St. Louis, but would give no assurance of a definite date for St. Louis within the next two years unless a transfer of dates can be arranged with some other city.

The St. Louis delegation of about 60 ministers and laymen attended last night's Sunday meeting in a body, at the close of the meeting "Mr. Sunday" handed to the delegation the following note:

"We will accept the invitation extended by St. Louis if the spirit of unity and harmony which now exists continues up to the definite date which would be possible for us to give St. Louis a date."

The St. Louis delegation believes there is a chance to get Boston's date, which is scheduled to begin Oct. 24. The reason for this hope is that there have been rumors that a serious opponent to the Billy Sunday movement has developed in Boston.

Sunday's son and business manager, George Sunday, is in Boston arranging for the meeting. If he should find great opposition, it is believed the evangelist might be induced to transfer the date to St. Louis. The members of the St. Louis delegation pledged themselves to raise a \$20,000 fund for Sunday and pay the usual share of the expense.

TAKES HIS PEN IN HAND TO PROTEST AGAINST EDUCATION

Missouri Says Farmers Object to
Paying Out So Much for
"Teaching Grant."

COLUMBIA, Mo., May 12.—Following is a copy of a letter that recently arrived in the mail of the State University here:

"Dear Sir:—We see & hear some of the troubles about the funds to pay Teachers & the fear that the University may go Bad & I some others are sore to hear of such But the masses seem to think there is & extreme along the Educational lines the people talk of not voting for a Representative that won't promise to fight the Donations & Appropriations to so many normals & veterinary & agricultural Grants & Stope the Burden of taxation to keep up so many State job hunters they think farmers are the capital stock and when they are Burdened out of existence the salaried mans capital stock is gone Boy that stals at home on the farm with 8th or 10th grade will & dos come nearer making good than the Book feans the farmer that doesnt know more than a Book farmer doesnt know enough to pore water out of a gourd this Bout to pore people in S. E. me look at it."

GEORGIAN MAKES \$6195 ON PEANUT CROP OF 150 ACRES

WAYCROSS, Ga., May 12.—Elisha Lott of Coffee County, Ga., obtained a net profit of \$6195 from 150 acres planted to peanuts last year. This fact appears from a detailed statement covering the crop on file in the office of G. B. Eunice, farm demonstration agent for the Atlanta, Birmingham & Atlantic Railroad at Douglas.

Lott states that he used the McGovern variety of peanut and grew no other crop on his 150 acres. The seed cost per acre was \$15; preparation, \$1; planting, 40 cents; amount of seed, 4 bushels; method, one planter; shelled, 300,000 lbs.; time, 55; broadcast before planting.

Figuring the cost of cultivation, harvesting, shelling, seed and other charges, Lott stated that it cost him \$1000 to produce the crop. The net value \$6,195.40 per acre was \$41.97. The net value \$6.19 per acre was \$41.97.

18 WOMEN COURTED BY BLUE BEARD OF HUNGARY MISSING

Three Bodies Found in Room
and Show He Had Promised
to Wed 74.

Special Cable to the Post-Dispatch and the New York Evening Post. BERLIN, via Amsterdam, May 12.—That Bela Kiss, the Hungarian Blue-beard, was engaged to, or at least had promised to marry, no less than 14 women, was disclosed by letters taken today from his former housekeeper, with whom he had left them to be given to the authorities in case of his death.

According to Budapest dispatches, the police already have the names of 18 women he courted, none of whom has been found, and some are known to have been living in missing. It is alleged that Kiss confined his attention to servants or peasant women, who had saved a little money.

Seven mysterious five-foot, tin-covered, sealed cases were found in Kiss' storeroom in the village of Chikota. Four of them have been opened. Three contained the bodies of as many women, each fully dressed, the bodies wound about, trussed up with thin rope, a tough cord around each neck and a handkerchief in every mouth. The fourth case disclosed several women's dresses. One dress has been recognized as having belonged to Grete Toth, 20 years old, a cook, who disappeared 10 years ago. Another dress was identified by Vivian Stefaulot as that of a long-lost daughter.

Only one body has been identified, that of Katherine Varga, a servant, who always carried her little savings of \$100. She disappeared four years ago.

Corp. Majda testified that he saw Kiss die in a hospital in Valkovo, Servia. Another witness swore that he heard from Kiss last November, months after he was reported dead in Servia.

Kiss was tall, had a blond beard, was 39 years old, and it is said women fell in love with him on sight. It is presumed that he exerted something like hypnotic influence on them.

The police believe they already have evidence pointing to the murder of at least eight women, and they have reason to believe that many more were his victims.

BOY ADMITS KILLING RANCHER

Shot Him From Ambush and Later
Searched His Pockets.

RED LODGE, Mont., May 12.—Ernest Arnold, 15, has confessed to the murder of Charles Steiner, a bachelor rancher, whose frozen body was found by a neighbor on Jan. 13 in a hog den at his ranch near here.

The boy said he shot the rancher from ambush with a rifle Jan. 5. The boy said that the day after the murder he returned to the ranch and ransacked the pockets of his victim and searched his cabin.

COL. COVENTRY WAR PRISONER

Titled Officer Captured by Turks—
Married American Girl.

LONDON, May 12.—Col. The Honorable Charles John Coventry, previously reported missing, it now is ascertained, is a prisoner at Damascus with twenty officers and 230 men of the Worcestershire Yeomanry. They were captured by the Turks at Katia Easter Sunday.

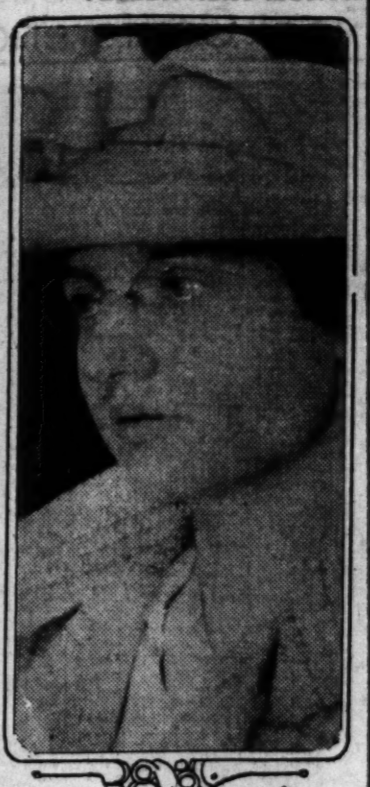
Col. Coventry is the second son of the Earl of Coventry. He married Lily Whithouse of Newport, R. I., in 1900.

RECALL OF MAYOR IS SOUGHT

SAN FRANCISCO, May 12.—Petitions for the recall of James Rolph Jr., Mayor of San Francisco, were being circulated today by followers of Eugene Schmitz, former Mayor, who was removed from office when indicted at the time of the so-called graft prosecution. He was unsuccessful candidate for Mayor at the last election.

The recall petition gives a dozen reasons for Rolph's recall including the charge that the Mayor holds his office illegally because of alleged election frauds.

SHE WILL WED BANK TELLER NEXT MONTH



MISS MARTHA E. TOENNISHOFF

Mr. and Mrs. Henry W. Toennishoff of 1315 Victor street, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Martha E. Toennishoff to John A. Dufaux of 2317 South Twelfth street. The marriage will take place early next month in St. Agnes Church.

Dufaux is paying teller at the Night and Day Bank. He and Miss Toennishoff went through grammar and high school together. After a trip the couple will reside on South King's highway.

CARRANZA ORDERS MEXICAN TEACHERS IN U. S. HOME

45 Maintained by Government at
Boston Advised to Sail From
New York Tuesday.

MEXICO CITY, May 12.—It is reported here that Gen. Carranza has cabled all the Mexican school teachers now visiting in the United States to return immediately to Mexico. Most of the teachers are said to be in New England.

Gen. Obregon, Minister of War, is expected to arrive in Mexico City early Sunday morning.

BOSTON, May 12.—Forty-five Mexican teachers, maintained by their government here for the last 10 months for the purpose of studying American educational methods, received orders last night to return to Mexico on the steamer Monterey which is due to sail from New York Tuesday morning. The message contained no explanation. About 100 other Mexican teachers are understood to be in various cities of the country.

CHICAGO TO TAKE CARE OF ALL

Convention Bureau Denies Hotel Accommodations Are Inadequate.

CHICAGO, May 12.—Reports that hotel accommodations for convention week are inadequate were denied today by George M. Spangler Jr., manager of the convention bureau of the Chicago Association of Commerce.

Spangler said that hotel accommodations could be guaranteed for every visitor who desired to visit Chicago at that time.

Two Women Hurt Leaving Cars.

Mrs. Anna Doffing, 67 years old, of 2203 Sullivan avenue fell from a Grand car at Sullivan avenue last night as she was alighting. Her left arm was broken and she was cut on the head.

Mrs. Valeria Csernecki, 32 years old, of 1405 North Ninth street and her 11-year-old baby were thrown from a Lee car at Ninth and O'Fallon streets when the conductor closed the door as she was getting out. She and the baby were bruised.

Baker to Be Convention Chairman.

JAMES M. COX YESTERDAY received a letter from President Wilson giving his consent for Newton D. Baker of Cleveland, Secretary of War, to act as chairman of the Ohio Democratic State convention. President Wilson had announced a policy of having no Cabinet officer participate in state conventions.

\$30,000 PUT UP FOR ASSASSINATION OF 'MYSTIC MONK'

Story Told by Refugee Priest
Bears on Report of Rasputin's
Death.

NEW YORK, May 12.—The report received Thursday by wireless from Berlin through the Overseas News Agency that Gregory Rasputin, the Russian monk who is reputed to have wielded a powerful and almost mystic influence over Emperor Nicholas, had been assassinated, is coincident with the receipt here by the Associated Press of mail advices from its correspondent at Christiania, Norway, disclosing details of a plot to murder Rasputin.

They were revealed by Heliodorus, the "Mad Monk of Tarsitayn," a fantastic leader of the masses of the Volga region who has figured prominently in the Rasputin case.

It is disclosed that Heliodorus, who disappeared from Russia some time ago, is a refugee in Christiania. Although once on the best of terms with Rasputin, he finally turned against him and denounced him as wielding a criminal influence and undertook to warn the imperial court of his "dangerous friend."

The result of this attack on the Emperor's favorite was that Heliodorus himself was cast into a monastery prison from which he was released only after having renounced being a monk.

To avoid further persecution he escaped to Sweden in a woman's garb in August, 1914, and is now living quietly in Christiania. According to Heliodorus,

a representative of the Russian Minister of the Interior, Khvostoff, arrived in Christiania last January and proposed that Heliodorus become party to a conspiracy to assassinate the "Mystic Monk." Khvostoff's envoy is said to have declared that Rasputin was working for a separate peace between Germany and Russia and being "bought by wealthy Jews," had secured for the Jews great contracts on supplies for the army.

Heliodorus, desiring to learn the whole plot, posed as willing to enter the conspiracy, and signed a contract to engage a band of murderers for 40,000 rubles (\$30,000).

One of the ladies in waiting at the court was to be a party to the conspiracy, and give the signal by telephone for Rasputin to come to the court. An automobile was to be in readiness for Heliodorus to escape as soon as he had seen his hired murderers execute the plot.

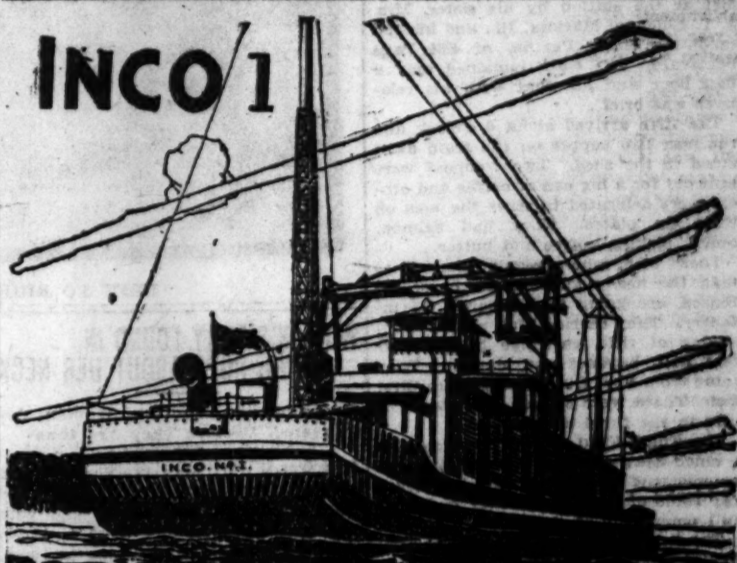
It was a part of the bargain, it is declared by Heliodorus, that the Minister of the Interior, Khvostoff, would procure an amnesty, so that Heliodorus could return to Russia.

On Feb. 12 Heliodorus received a telegram saying the 60,000 rubles were in a bank ready to be paid as soon as the plot was carried out. He then decided to reveal the whole affair, and sent his wife with a written account of the plot to Petrograd, where she delivered it to the Empress.

The wife later sent word that she had already known the details of the affair. It seems that the mistress of Raschlevsky, the agent sent to Christiania by Khvostoff, had betrayed the conspirators.

Minister Khvostoff was forced to resign, but according to Heliodorus, who has laid the whole story bare to the Norwegian public, conditions at the imperial court are such that nothing but a revolution can clear the air.

Boy Choked to Death by Bed.
CONWAY, Ark., May 12.—In falling from a bed a 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Dunn, who live 15 miles from here, got his head caught between two iron uprights and was choked to death.



Inland Navigation Co., Inc., Takes A \$2400.00 Loss to Keep a Promise

River Traffic has been neglected so long that it has been very difficult to secure competent stevedores in St. Louis. And because of the record cargo the unloading at St. Louis required 48 instead of 4 hours.

These are matters that will be adjusted, soon, and in the meanwhile rather than delay shipments and in order to leave on schedule time, the Inland Navigation Company is forced to ship 1000 tons of freight by rail at a direct loss of \$2400.00.

Determined to maintain schedules—INCO 1 sails Saturday at 5 P. M., leaving 1000 tons of freight behind to be forwarded at once by rail. Of course in shipping by rail we can not give the same speed and safety as with INCO 1 but such rail shipment is the best available.

INCO Service Stands for Reliability

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